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NEW JOBS—President Eisenhower has named General Earle E. Partridge, USAF (left), now head of FEA, to succeed retiring General Benjamin W. Chidlaw, USAF, as C-in-C of the Continental Air Defense Command. Lt. Gen. Laurence S. Kuter, USAF (center), named for four-star rank, goes to the FEA post, while Maj. Gen. Clarence S. Irvine, USAF (right), becomes Deputy Chief of Staff, Materiel, with rank of lieutenant general. Lt. Gen. B. L. Boatner, USAF, DC/S, Materiel, will be given convalescent leave. The President also nominated Maj. Gen. Patrick W. Timberlake, USAF, to be a lieutenant general as commander Allied Air Forces Europe. (Photo on page 1045)

Hoover Group Urges Super Agencies To Standardize Food and Clothing

Creation of two top-level central agencies in the Department of Defense, one to handle food and the other clothing for all the Armed Services, was recommended in this week's report of the Commission on Organization of the Executive Branch of the Government (Hoover Commission).

These respective agencies, the Commission urged, should make central purchases for all the Services; should establish and maintain inventory controls; consolidate and have charge of all warehouses and depots for food and clothing; and undertake all inspection except upon receipt at bases.

Furthermore, the Commission recommended that the food agency establish (Continued on Next Page)

Pentagon Cracks Back At Commission's Charges

The Defense Department, which had virtually remained silent in face of strongly worded attacks, this week reacted publicly to a series of Hoover Commission reports charging waste and inefficiency in the Armed Forces.

The rebuttal came from Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson, Assistant Defense Secretary for Supply and Logistics Thomas P. Pike, and from Navy Secretary Charles S. Thomas, specially summoned by Mr. Wilson to a news conference on 26 Apr.

Called upon by the Secretary to give his viewpoints on the Hoover Commission action, described in detail in recent issues of THE JOURNAL, Mr. Pike said:

"It is extremely unfortunate from the standpoint of the very many able men in the military service particularly, as well as civilians down here in the Department of Defense who are well aware that we have many problems yet to solve. . . .

"The listing of atrocities, some of which are old, many of which are not factual, and many of which are misleading, I think, is an unfortunate thing from the standpoint of the public because they don't get a balanced picture," Mr. Pike continued.

On this count, Secretary Thomas noted that the Hoover Commission report on Food and Service reports a 60-year supply of canned hamburger in the Navy.

Describing the current inventory in (Please turn to Page 1051)

SERVICE COMMISSARIES

The Hoover Commission warned this week that the operation of commissary stores in the military services will play a large part in its forthcoming report on "Federal agencies which compete with private business."

"Congress," the Commission said this week, "since 1949 has provided that commissary stores should be operated only where other stores either were not available within a reasonable distance or did not sell food at a reasonable price. These rules have been stretched extensively, to say the least."

The Commission charged that Commissaries in 1954 cost the government "at least \$18 million more than they took in from sales."

Service Leaders Urge Survivor Benefits; Say Social Security Coverage Is Important

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Servicemen will not object to deductions in take-home pay if it means increased benefits for their survivors, spokesmen for the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps and Coast Guard told Congress this week.

They were testifying in support of the proposal (THE JOURNAL 23 April) to equalize and improve Survivor Benefits, including placement of military personnel under Social Security.

Adm. James L. Holloway, Jr., USN, Chief of Naval Personnel, told the Hardy Select Committee of the House of Representatives that inadequacy of present Survivor Benefits possibly is a "more serious weakness" in career service than pay.

Admiral Holloway declared that "enactment of a realistic and adequate law governing survivor benefits should be considered of paramount importance in our effort to re-establish a military career as a sought after and respected, as well as an exacting, profession."

Speaking for the Air Force, Maj. Gen. Morris J. Lee, USAF, Director of Personnel Planning, said an effective Survivor Benefits plan should (1) provide uniform benefits for survivors of all members similarly situated; (2) relate such benefits to active duty earnings; and (3) place military personnel under Social Security on a full participating basis.

General Lee pointed out that "all too frequently the death of a Service member has resulted in a drastic lowering of the (Continued on Next Page)

Lt. Gen. Pate Seen Likely Successor To Gen. Shepherd; Shift 20 Marine Generals

Coincidental with reassignment of 20 Marine Corps general officers, there was speculation this week that Lt. Gen. Randolph McCall Pate, USMC, would become new Commandant of the Marine Corps.

The four-year tour of General Lemuel C. Shepherd, Jr., USMC, expires on 1 Jan. 1956. It is believed unlikely that he will be reappointed for a second term since he reaches his 60th birthday in February 1956.

At the present time, there are five lieutenant generals on active duty. Four of them appear to be out of the running for appointment to the four-star post.

Lt. Gen. Oliver P. Smith, USMC, who (Please turn to Page 1051)



Lt. Gen. Pate

Lt. Gen. Palmer Gets Army Vice CofS Post

Lt. Gen. Williston B. Palmer, USA, "by direction of the President," becomes Army Vice Chief of Staff on 1 May, succeeding General Charles L. Bolte, USA, who retires the day before.

Lt. Gen. Carter B. Magruder, USA, Far East Command Chief of Staff since May 1954, replaces General Palmer as Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics.

Maj. Gen. Elmer J. Rogers, USAF, Deputy Chief of Staff for Plans to General Maxwell D. Taylor, USA, will replace General Magruder in Tokyo.

As THE JOURNAL went to press, General Palmer, 55, had yet to be nominated for four-star rank, although that promotion was anticipated shortly.

A 1918 graduate of West Point, General Palmer has a varied background which includes service as VII Corps artillery commander in WW II, European Com- (Continued on Next Page)

Increase in Regulars Talked of in Congress

Plans for expansion of Regular officer strength by thousands were being pushed at the Pentagon this week in the wake of newly disclosed Congressional testimony affecting Army, Navy, Air Force and Marine Corps.

The Air Force revealed it is considering appointment of 7,500 additional Regular officers in a 12-month period. This is almost three times the number of Regular appointments in the Air Force during the last six years.

Air Force Secretary Harold E. Talbott told the House appropriation committee that his Service now has about 23,746 Regulars and 104,144 Reservists on active duty. The Air Force told the legislators that a proposal has been initiated to boost from 27,500 to 35,000 the ceiling on Regulars, with the additional appointments to be made from among officers now on active duty within a year's time after authorization from Congress.

There are reports from other sources that a long-range integration program now under consideration would set a goal of about 50,000 Regular officers for the Air Force.

During Army testimony Representative Edward T. Miller (R-Md) a Reservist for 38 years, asserted that it is "quite unhealthy" for the Army to have only 23 per cent of its officer corps in Regular status.

Maj. Gen. Robert N. Young, USA, Assistant Chief of Staff G-1, explained that current law restricts the Army to 30,600 Regulars and that there are close to 29,000 on active duty.

General Young reported that study is being given to a possible increase up to 55,000 Regular Army officers.

Subsequent to his testimony, made some weeks ago, it is learned that latest planning has centered on an Army figure of about 49,000.

Representative Miller urged that legislation be sent to Congress expanding the Regular strength of all the Services, considerably beyond the 4060 increase previously proposed for the Army in pending legislation.

Navy Secretary Charles S. Thomas, also questioned by Mr. Miller on this subject, told the Appropriations group that the Navy officer strength includes 43 per cent Reserves while 38 per cent of Marine Corps officers are Reservists.

Admiral Robert B. Carney, USN, Chief of Naval Operations, and General Lemuel C. Shepherd, Jr., USMC, Commandant of the Marine Corps, indicated that these services would continue to go easy on the intake of Regular officers.

Palmer Vice CofS, Magruder DCofS Log.

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mand Vice CofS, commander of the 82d Airborne and 2 Armored Divisions, and X Corps in Korea. He was G-4 before being made DEPLOG last September.

General Magruder, 55, was graduated from USMA in 1923. He filled key billets with Army Service Forces early in WWII, later served in North Africa and Europe, winding up as chief of staff and later Commanding General of Theater Service Forces in the ETO.

Like General Palmer an artilleryman, General Magruder in March 1946 became assistant chief of staff, G-4, of the U. S. Forces, Europe. In July 1947, he was appointed director of the Logistics Division of the European Command and became chief of staff of the U. S. Army in Europe the following May.

In February 1951, he became Deputy for Programs to the Assistant Chief of Staff for Logistics, Army.

In October 1953, General Magruder was transferred to the U. S. Army Forces Far East and was assigned to command the 24th Infantry Division in Korea. On 13 Jan. 1954, he assumed command of the

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standard of living of his surviving dependents, loss of educational opportunities for his children and other hardships."

Maj. Gen. Donald P. Booth, USA, Deputy G-1, obviously presenting the sentiments of all the Services on the matter of Social Security coverage, declared:

"Most people do not accept with pleasure a reduction in their take-home pay. There is also an understandable tendency for the personnel now in service to disapprove withdrawal of any part of the pay they now enjoy."

"I think the contributory feature of this bill will be readily accepted by new personnel coming into the Army," General Booth continued, "and I feel that when the full import of Social Security is understood—and when it is recognized that the present free coverage was never intended to be continued permanently—the contributory feature of this bill will be graciously accepted by those now in the Service."

Brig. Gen. Nels H. Nelson, USMC, G-1 and Marine Corps Manpower Coordinator, urging approval of new legislation, said that past laws "have pyramidized to the point where there is much overlapping and maldistribution of benefits for survivors of Service members and former Service members."

"The present laws," said General Nelson, "should be replaced by a single comprehensive system of benefits, uniform and just in application to both the Regular and the Reservist, the active as well as the retired, and for the survivors of the past and those of the future."

General Nelson said the Pentagon plan seeks these objectives.

As reported in detail in last week's issue of THE JOURNAL, the House group, headed by Representative Porter Hardy (D-Va.), is exploring various plans for improving military Survivor Benefits.

The Defense Department presentation, in addition to providing for permanent contributory Social Security coverage instead of the present temporary legislation which expires 30 June, proposed that Survivor Benefits be based on an individual's pay and suggested that this be 20 per cent of gross pay. A table showed gross pay calculations for all ranks.

The Defense Department presentation said the \$10,000 Veterans Administration indemnity, now paid at the rate of \$92.90 for 10 years, should be changed to a payment of \$50 a month to a widow.

Instead of a death gratuity of six months' base pay, the Pentagon proposed four months of gross pay.

The Hardy Committee is expected to come forth with a formal legislative proposal within a month.

House Group Reports Modified Reserve Bill

The House Armed Services Committee has reported an amended version of the Defense Department's plan for building up the Reserve forces. The Committee favored the measure by a vote of 31-5 and Chairman Vinson expects to get it to the House floor next week, where, he says, it "certainly will be passed."

The Committee returned to the President the authority Congress took away from him in 1952—to call up a million reservists immediately in an emergency without awaiting for specific Congressional approval.

Knocked out of the bill, however, was the Department's plan to draft necessary numbers of young men for six months active military training to be followed by 7½ years in reserve units. But the Committee voted to permit the drafting for two years active duty of such 6-month trainees who fail to keep up their subsequent reserve obligations.

IX U. S. Corps (Group). In May 1954, he became Chief of Staff, Far East Command.

President and Defense Department At Odds On Document Giving Detailed Defense Data

A document which a Defense Department Assistant Secretary said on 26 April "should be reassuring to the American people," was described the next day by President Eisenhower as a "blunder."

The disagreement pointed up the current confused situation regarding release of defense information.

It came concurrently with the appointment of L. Karl Honaman, who has been Director of the Office of Strategic Information at the Commerce Department, to be Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Public Affairs under Assistant Defense Secretary Robert T. Ross.

It was Mr. Ross who on 26 April addressed a letter to Chairman Carl Vinson (D-Ga.) of the House Armed Services Committee commenting on information contained in a 32-page summary of defense data compiled by the Republican Senate Policy Committee.

A story by Mr. John Giles in the 23 April issue of the *Washington, D. C., Star* alleged that the Policy Committee's document contained 12 security violations.

Mr. Ross' Letter

Here is what Mr. Ross told Mr. Vinson:

"Dear Mr. Vinson:

"Reference is made to the memorandum from Special Counsel John J. Courtney to Colonel Wade M. Fleischer, Director of Legislative Liaison, dated April 25, 1955, concerning an article published in the *WASHINGTON EVENING STAR* on April 23 relative to the pamphlet 'National Defense under the Republican Administration—Today and Tomorrow.'

"As the document contains no significant technical information about new weapons, the compilation of the material is not considered a breach of security.

"The Chief Security Review Officer, Department of Defense, has reported to me that a security review of the material has been completed, and reveals only three minor technical items associated with projects which had not heretofore been cleared for open publication or general dissemination. The mention, however, of the names of these projects does not in itself constitute any revelation of information which would be of aid to a potential enemy, nor does it amount to a security violation.

"Most of the factual information contained in the pamphlet was taken from unclassified documents furnished the Senate Republican Policy Committee by, and cleared for publication by, the Department of Defense. In addition, the three items referred to in the preceding paragraph have been subjects of speculative writing and published in technical magazines.

"The 'security violations' information in the *STAR* article is not correct and was obviously obtained from some unauthorized and as yet unidentified source before the review of the document had been completed.

"In fact, as a whole, this document presents many of the positive accomplishments and goals of the Department of Defense, and should be reassuring to the American people.

/s/ ROBERT TRIPP ROSS
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

Asked at a 27 April news conference if he were "entirely relaxed" about publication of the pamphlet on Capitol Hill, President Eisenhower responded:

"I heard about this pamphlet just before I came over (to the news conference). They gave me some idea that made me think that there had been a blunder that occurred."

The Chief Executive said it was his understanding the pamphlet "gave out information that I wouldn't have given out, at least."

The Defense Department's attitude towards release of information again this week commanded most attention at Secretary Charles E. Wilson's news conference.

He opened this session on 26 April by reading a prepared statement which told of Mr. Honaman's appointment to succeed Mr. Walter Swan, who is returning to his civilian employment with United Airlines, and said that under Mr. Honaman there will be three branches—information, security review and special activities.

Then, the Secretary added to newsmen:

"It is our confident hope that this will make it possible to operate constructively from your standpoint as well as ours. Some have the impression that we have resolved arbitrarily to restrict the flow of information. Nothing could be further

from the truth. We want to make it clear that in handling information we should not inadvertently give our enemies advantages which they do not already have. On the positive side is the necessity to recognize that proper information is not withheld. It is the responsibility of all of us to exercise balanced judgment, case by case, to be sure people have the information they need and at the same time not compromise the national security."

Mr. Wilson and Mr. Honaman told how it is the aim of the new Defense Department public information directives to withhold from the enemy technical information concerning new weapons and developments, even though in some instances this information is not in a "classified" status.

The problem that this will pose to newsmen is pointed up in a newly released Air Force order implementing the Defense Department directive, and published in full on page 1032.

The Air Force communication said, in part:

"The release of operational or technical information on one specific military weapon or new type of military equipment is often in itself, harmless. However, the collection of many such items into one manuscript can result in a document which presents a complete picture of our technical advances or operational capabilities in some particular military field. As such the document may require classification."

Newsmen questioned Mr. Wilson and his associates whether the Republican Policy Committee report wasn't exactly the kind of compilation to which there was objection.

Mr. Ross, as evidenced in his letter to Mr. Vinson, though no.

The President disagreed.

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a uniform ration for all services and set up master menus, and that the clothing agency standardize the allowance for clothing and "standardize clothing to the extent practicable."

Each agency should establish a systematic training plan for its service. In addition the personnel administering each of the activities should "be properly qualified or trained for such service; and that the military personnel be required to serve continuously over considerable periods and be given rank and promotion comparable to that in the combat military services."

On the matter of a standardized ration, the Commission was quite concerned that the Army allows more than twice as many eggs as the Navy while the Navy allows about 50 per cent more potatoes than the Army—"Neither is it understood why the Navy includes twice the amount of canned tomatoes as the Army."

"The task force," the Commission said, "after examination in the field, was of the unanimous opinion that the Army ration and method should be applied to the Navy and Marine Corps. It held that the master menus should be mandatory, if proper procurement, storage and service at the mess level were to be had. It commends the service of the Quartermaster General of the Army for having better controls than the Navy."

The task force report was replete with the usual charges of "great waste, duplication, overlapping and an unnecessary number of agencies." It cited numerous instances of alleged overstocking, such as charges that the Navy has enough canned hamburger to last for 719 months. These charges of overstocking were based on current rates of consumption and did not take into consideration the need for reserve stocks to take up the initial shock of expanded forces in wartime.

The report recommended that food and clothing be purchased by "notice of intent to purchase and negotiated contract," but three of the Commissioners filed dissents to this and urged that competitive bidding be retained.

New Concept Of Military Mobility Seen; Mass Troop Moves By Vertical Take-Off

Revolutionary changes in military mobility with mass movements of troops by vertical take-off, high-speed transports, were forecast this week by Stanley Hiller, Jr., helicopter manufacturer and builder of the Navy's research "Flying Platform."

Mr. Hiller, who is president of Hiller Helicopters of Palo Alto, Calif., and chairman of the Helicopter Council of the Aircraft Industries' Association, told the Aero Club of Washington that developments are underway which will be far ahead of the current VTO fighters and flying "bedsteads."

"I am sure," Mr. Hiller said, "that none of the group here today will be too surprised when they open their paper in the not too distant future and read of the establishment by one of the largest aircraft manufacturers of an anti-gravitational division. *** Don't scoff at anti-gravitational devices because in this industry, the well-worn comment that anything man can think of, man can do, has proved to be an historically true statement."

Discussing the "new revolution in air transportation," Mr. Hiller said:

"First, it will be seen in the adoption of an entirely new concept of military mobility. The Army particularly is profiting from these new design trends. As one high-ranking general recently put it, 'The old ground-bound thinking is on its way out.' Yes, by 1965 we will see the equivalent of flying jeeps, staff cars and air ambulances in much greater quantity than those comparatively few in-service military helicopters of today. It is not inconceivable that mass movements of

troops, here again particularly by the Army, Navy and Marine Corps, in vertical take-off, high speed transports will become a common medium of military transportation during the late 1960's and early 1970's.

"As to the direct effect of our personal transportation media, this vast movement to air mobility by the military will exert a profound force on development of specialized civilian vehicles. No longer will the great restraining effect of large air terminal requirements prohibit the potential wide use of the broad air road. You should see during the latter portion of the 1960's, vertical take-off transports which at cruising speed will easily outdistance the newest transports flying today, such as the DC-7 and the Super-constellations."

"Actually, the aircraft which we now have under study or in preliminary engineering phases, surprisingly enough, aren't as unconventional looking as you might anticipate, yet no mile-long runways are required for airborne operations.

"At the other end of the slide rule, small-sized aircraft developed from the experimental rotorless helicopters of today may make many take a second look for invisible strings which seem to lend their support. Don't expect too much too soon because whatever is developed is dependent upon the trends of military procurement.

"Conversely, may I conclude with this admonition... don't let your imagination limit you to discarding the possibility of 'winged feet'."

BOARD WILL CONSIDER 600-700 LT. COLS.

The Army will convene a selection board at the Pentagon on 17 May to consider between 600 and 700 lieutenant colonels for temporary promotion to colonel on a "best qualified" basis.

Eligibles must have active duty date of rank as lieutenant colonel as of 30 June 1945 for the Army Promotion List, and 30 April 1949 for the Chaplains List.

There will be no selections on the MC, DC, VC and MSC lists.

The new zone of consideration for the Army Promotion List is a six months extension of the previous zone, although the 10 years in rank criterion is the same.

The Army said a circular will be issued shortly listing all those eligible for consideration.

U. S. COAST GUARD

Secretary of the Treasury—George M. Humphrey

Commandant—Vice Adm. Alfred C. Richmond

PRESIDENT Eisenhower has appointed five Regular Coast Guard Ensigns to the temporary rank of lieutenant (jg).

All have dates of rank from 8 April, with the exception of Charles W. Linn whose date of rank is 5 Dec. 1954.

The other appointees are: Robert E. Gardner, Ralph G. Isaacson, Clayton W. Collins, Jr., and Joseph J. Bookout.

OPERATIONS

SASSAFRAS—completed repair availability at the Yard and has returned to her regular station at Cape May, N. J.

ABSECON—completed repair availability at the Yard and assumed her regular duties at Norfolk.

EVERGREEN—returned to Argentia after having completed the First Oceanographic Survey Cruise for the 1955 Ice Patrol Season.

TRAVIS—has departed Charleston and assumes her new station at Port Everglades, Fla.

HALF MOON—will be at the Yard until about 15 May for repair availability.

Assignment Changes

Captains

Adams, Donald T, Academy; to Academy (MERMARINSPEC Indoc.). Fahey, Edmund E, CGDFIVE (DIFOT); (o); to CGDFIVE (Chief, Intelligence and Law Enforcement Sec.).

Commander

Engel, Benjamin F, CGAIRD, Kodiak, T A; to HQ (CC; DIFOT under CNO). Estes, Ottis T, Jr, HQ; to ABSECON (CO). Johnson, Arthur W, CHINCOTLEAGUE; to OCMI, N Y (OIC). Lawrence, William J, ABSECON; to CGD-EIGHT (Chief, Readiness Sec.). Miller, Raymond G, HQ; to CHINCOTLEAGUE (CO). Schweitzer, William E, CGTWO; to CGD-Seven (MIO).

Shunk, Robert F, HQ; to CGAIRD, Barbers Point, T H (CO; DIFOT). Stedman, George W, Jr, CGD-Seven, to Western Inspector.

Thresher, Russell W, CGD-17; to CGD-Seven (Chief, Pers Div).

Lt Commander

Kozanecki, Theodore J, CGAS, San Fran; to CGAS, Brooklyn, N Y (Aeronautical Engr).

Mathison, Elmer P, CGAS, St Petersburg; to CGAS, Port Angeles, Wash (DIFOT). Philbrick, George A, YAKUTAT; to CGD-17 (Chief, Pers Div).

Sansbury, Lemuel C, CGAS, Brooklyn, N Y; to CGAS, San Diego, (DIFOT).

Lieutenant

Aitkenhead, William L, ROCKAWAY; to HQ (MMT).

Flanagan, Albert E, CGAIRD, Annette, T A; to CGAS, St Petersburg (Aeronautical Engr (DIFOT)).

Hynes, Thomas J, CGAS, Traverse City, Mich; to CGAIRD, Annette, T A (Aeronautical Engr (DIFOT)).

Potter, Harry U, CGAIRD, Barbers Point, T H; to CGAS, Traverse City, Mich. (DIFOT).

Wetmore, Thomas T, III, HQ; to MARIPOSA (XO).

Yates, Elvin F, CGAS, Elizabeth City, N C; to CGAIRD, Bermuda, BWI (DIFOT).

Lieutenant (jg)

Black, Milton L, CGBASE, Terminal Island, Calif; to CG-95305 (CO).

Irish, John K, KIMBALL; to CGD-13 (Admin).

Lively, Olin A, STORIS; to CGD-13 (Admin). Lowe, James H C, CGLORSTA, Catanduanes, Panay Is, R P; to CGD-12 (Admin).

Walden, Stanley J, CG-95305; to HQ (OFU). Walter, Alfred H, BIBBS; to CASCO (EO).

Warrant Officer

Pierce, William L, CGDFIVE to CGD-9.

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BILLY MITCHELL AWARD. — Admiral Arthur W. Radford, USN, (right), Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, acknowledges the congratulations of Col. William J. Junkerman (left), Commander of New York's Aviator's Post #743, and Maj. Gen. Roger J. Browne, USAF, (center), Commander of the First Air Force, during a banquet in New York City, where he received the annual "Billy Mitchell Award" for outstanding individual contribution to aviation's progress.



Promotions to Captains Next Month

THE Army this week released additional promotions to temporary major and there was a forecast that first promotions to temporary captain would be made within a month.

Meantime, the Army has distributed throughout the field Circular 624-25 containing the names of more than 5,000 first lieutenants and captains selected for higher rank.

S.O. 79 Lists 100 New Army Majors

PROMOTION of 100 Army captains to temporary major is reported in S.O. 79, effective from 21 April. Cut-off date of rank for this group was 25 August 1950. Named in S.O. 79 were:

TO MAJOR FROM 21 APRIL

Airman, J W, ARTY	Dance, E A, INF	Jones, C F, TC	Pyles, A H, INF
Arenz, A H E, AGC	Dawson, F W, INF	Jones, J H, INF	Rainey, H W, INF
Bailey, O A, ORDC	Dessureau, D A, ORDC	Jorgensen, J M, Jr, INF	Reardon, M L, Jr, ARMOR
Barnhart, C F, INF	Dickson, J B, INF	Kania, F W, CE	Reid, B E, INF
Beaver, J T, Jr, ARTY	Dirienzo, S C, CE	Kinns, W J, ARTY	Richardson, F O, QMC
Bieber, H J, TC	Dittrich, F, ARTY	Kitten, R B, ARTY	Roderick, A R, ORDC
Bowman, S A, TC	Drabik, J J, ARMOR	Lasell, M G, INF	Rogers, G P, ORDC
Breitegan, G D, ARTY	Enoch, L B, INF	Lentz, R F, Jr, CE	Sample, A D, CE
Bruce, R, ARTY	Fletcher, M M, ARTY	Lillie, T I, ARTY	Sarwark, H F, ORDC
Burnett, A S, MI	Flinn, G W, ARMOR	Lord, P B, INF	See, M W, CE
Burns, F J, SIGC	Fridel, W J, INF	Lorsung, L W, ORDC	Shaw, W J, ARTY
Buskirk, W A, SIGC	Gates, D C, INF	Metzger, H A, ARTY	Simon, F M, QMC
Bussey, C M, CE	George, F E, ORDC	Miller, C T, MPC	Small, S W, INF
Cannon, J E, INF	Gore, C T, FC	Morgan, C D, INF	Smith, C D, ARTY
Canty, B L, TC	Grau, L A, ARTY	Grzywnowicz, Z S, SIGC	Smyle, R C, ARTY
Castro, A A, INF	Gray, D G, ARMOR	Hackenbrach, W A, ORDC	Snyder, I W, Jr, ORDC
Cherry, J E, CE	Grayzynowicz, Z S, SIGC	Hall, C L, ORDC	Styron, E S, Jr, QMC
Chesley, H W, ARTY	Hackenbrach, W A, ORDC	Hamilton, J M, INF	Thorsted, E L, INF
Chieffalo, F J, QMC	Harris, R, MPC	O'Bryan, R I, INF	Treadwell, J W, QMC
Christiansen, A C, INF	Hutchins, L B, ARMOR	O'Bryan, R I, INF	Uzzel, N H, INF
Clancy, D D, INF	McMonagle, D S, ARMOR	Pap, J D, ORDC	Walter, B W, ARTY
Clancy, L J, MPC	Neidermeyer, E J, CE	Patterson, R J, INF	Watkins, P V, INF
Clauer, L J, TC	Nipper, J L, INF	Paul, A T, Jr, ARTY	Wavrek, G J, ORDC
Colligan, J W, TC	Nott, J H, SIGC	Paul, H L, ARTY	Welch, L J, ARTY
Corbett, J C, ORDC	O'Bryan, R I, INF	Plemme, W C, ARTY	Workman, P E, TC

S. O. 81 Has 25 April Cut-Off

THE following Army captains were promoted to temporary major in S.O. 81, with effective date of rank from 25 April. The cut-off date for this increment was 4 September 1950.

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Acheson, L D Jr, ARTY	Fogarty, Thos C, Inf	Lamb, L J, OrdC	Reichert, D L, AGC
Alfonso, A F, Inf	Frasier, Hugh W, Inf	Lepke, Richard P, CE	Ringquist, R C, SigC
Atkinson, Jno B, CE	Gallman, H E, Inf	Lukowski, R L, OrdC	Robinson, S J, CE
Baisley, K R, ARTY	Gillert, G J Jr, MI	Lynch, Wm J, TC	Rose, Clifford E, SigC
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Beckica, L, MPC	Grommesen, J, Art	McAdoo, R F, CE	Sanders, E J, CmC
Bell, E J Jr, JAGC	Gooch, C M Jr, Inf	McConnell, F M, Inf	Shaughnessy, M A, CE
Boehme, W, QMC	Haskell, Robt J, Art	McKay, Geo C, TC	Shirley, Carl R, AGC
Bourrou, Jas C, Inf	Henderson, W A, Inf	McMaster, Wm E, Inf	Sigle, Patrick J, Inf
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Cann, A H Jr, Art	Hines, Geo G, Inf	Holliday, Sam C, Inf	Sullivan, Wm M, CE
Carapolis, L A Jr, Inf	Holston, A, OrdC	Holston, John A, Art	Susinna, M M, AGC
Carlson, Roy E, Art	Hughes, Jno C, Inf	Hughes, Jno C, Inf	Talient, Jas E, Inf
Carroll, Edw D, Art	Hunter, Roy V, Art	Jamison, Wm G, Arm	Thomas, Wm H, CE
Clark, Chas N, CE	Clark, Jas A, Inf	Johnson, W H, Art	Townes, Jas E Jr, Inf
Conklin, L R, AGC	Connor, Robt J, Art	Jones, Jack I, Inf	Tucker, Wm G, QMC
Cook, Logan W, Inf	Craig, David K, CE	Kennedy, L H, Inf	Turcek, Joseph, Inf
Crozier, Bruce U, Inf	Crozier, Bruce U, Inf	Kidder, S E, OrdC	Turner, Earl A, Art
Damish, Adolph, Inf	Damish, Adolph, Inf	King, Ledru L, Art	Vester, H K, Art
Dennis, Carl A, Inf	Dennis, Carl A, Inf	Kolhonen, B, OrdC	Leonard, Robt R Jr
Dunlap, R E, Art	Dunlap, R E, Art	Kyler, Montell, Inf	DC
Eliander, C L, Art	Eliander, C L, Art	LaCroix, Jas P Jr, CmC	Collins, Van E
Firing, Thor M, SigC	Firing, Thor M, SigC		

WHAT'S AF WORTH? \$75 BILLION IS ESTIMATE

The Air Force thinks its assets will be worth about \$75 billion when it completes its Monetary Inventory Accounting in the Spring of 1956.

The House Appropriations Committee was told that use of the new system during the past two years has progressed to a point where \$25,181,000 is tabulated, including \$11.4 billion worth of aircraft.

The Air Force estimates it has \$1.8 billion in inventories in Army depots.

Not yet included in the total are undelivered stocks in hands of contractors, stocks in transit or on order, or fixed assets such as land and buildings.

U. S. Army

**Army Will Boost
Airlift Transport**

The Army has disclosed plans to start Operation Gyroscope with the airlift of the 508th Airborne Regimental Combat Team from Ft. Campbell, Ky., and the shift by air of its sister unit, the 187th ARCT to Ft. Bragg, N. C.

There has been considerable discussion during recent months of the possible expanded use by the Army of air transportation for the movement of troops to and from overseas stations.

The airborne units will move about 1 July.

The rotation movement will be supported by C-124 Globemaster Troop Carriers from Tactical Air Command's 18th Air Force in the 12,000 mile round trip airlift over the Pacific.

As personnel of the two combat units are taking part in a tactical move, dependents' families authorized concurrent travel will be transported by the Military Sea Transportation Service.

The plan to airlift the units is designed to test the effectiveness of procedures governing the tactical air movement of combat units to and from overseas stations. Study and evaluation of the movement will be used in future planning for movement of combat units, the Army said.

Col. Hillman Appointed

Col. Burleigh F. Hillman, USA, X Corps Comptroller, will succeed Brig. Gen. Robert Q. Brown, USA, as X Corps Chief of Staff at Ft. Riley, Kans. General Brown has been assigned to Maxwell AFB, Ala., where he will serve as Chief of the Army Advisory Group at the Air University.



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**How To Promote?
Army Seeks Reaction**

What is the best way to make enlisted promotions?

The Army has directed researchers from the Human Resources Office (HUMRO) to find out the reaction of men in the field.

Surveys are being made to find out whether soldiers think promotion should be by board, by authority of commanders, or by examination.

At the same time, the Pentagon is asking Army commanders to make recommendations concerning the current surplus in E-7 rank, which is barring promotions to top NCO status.

**Army EM Promotion
Face Slump In '56**

Army enlisted promotions for FY '56 will fall to 691,400 from a total of 1,120,300 in the fiscal year ending on 30 June, newly released Congressional testimony discloses.

At this time, the Army forecasts no promotions to E-7 rank. There have been none to this grade for more than a year.

Promotions estimated for the year beginning 1 July are listed herewith, with the '55 comparative figure in parentheses:

E-6 — 10,600 (14,078)
E-5 — 54,400 (86,007)
E-4 — 177,900 (322,908)
E-3 — 228,600 (368,166)
E-2 — 219,900 (328,925)

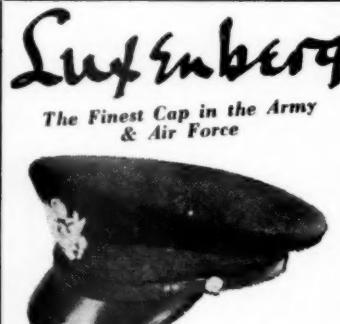
Total enlisted strength of the Army will drop during the next fiscal year from 979,800 to 911,600.

SGT. KRILLING TOPS

M/Sgt. W. E. Krilling of The Engineer Center Rifle Team at Ft. Belvoir, Va., has won the Virginia State Rifle and Revolver Association's High Power Trophy.

Sergeant Krilling, who was awarded the DSC as a First Sergeant in Korea, fired a 238 out of a possible 250 points.

Also at the meet on 16 April were Olympic Champions Allan L. Luke and Art Jackson. They were unsuccessful in attempts to outscore the sergeant. He shot a perfect score from the 200 yard line and enough 4s and 5s from the 300 and 500 yard lines to "edge out" his opponents.



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BRIG. GEN. MILTON H. MEDENBACH, commandant of cadets at Valley Forge Military Academy, Wayne, Pa., has his new stars pinned on by his son, Cadet Sgt. Phillip Medenbach, shortly after receiving the rank in the Pennsylvania Guard. A graduate of Johns Hopkins, General Medenbach served in the European Theater in World War II.

**Eight Basic Training Bns.
Discontinued At Bliss**

In line with plans to end basic infantry training at Ft. Bliss, Tex., eight basic training battalions in the Antiaircraft Artillery Replacement Training Center will be discontinued by the end of May.

The reorganization of the AAA RTC is part of the Army's overall program to centralize training facilities for the soldiers' first eight weeks. This program will result, it is hoped, in a saving in training overhead.



Maj. Gen. Ginder

**Shift Gen. Ginder,
Name Gen. Martin**

Maj. Gen. Philip DeW. Ginder, USA, commander of the 10th Infantry Division, scheduled to leave Ft. Riley, Kans., beginning in July for Operation Gyroscope transfer with the 1st Infantry Division in Germany, has received a new assignment.

He will report in mid-May to the Fifth Army with station at Camp McCoy, Wisc., where he is expected to supervise Reserve training.

New division commander is expected to be Brig. Gen. George E. Martin, USA, who has been assistant commander of the 10th since January 1954 and

who has been named for two-star rank.

Both generals are USMA '27 graduates. General Ginder has been in command of the 10th and its predecessor, the 37th Infantry Division, since December 1953.

The Army has named Brig. Gen. Charles E. Beauchamp, USA, now deputy commandant of the Command and General Staff College, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., to report to the 10th in June, presumably to be assistant commander.



GENERAL ANTHONY McAULIFFE, USA, second from left, shown in the office of Capt. John C. Hammock, USN, Commanding Officer Bremerhaven Military Sea Transportation Service when the General visited Bremerhaven, Germany, recently. It was General McAuliffe's first visit to the Port since he assumed the USAREUR command. Pictured with the General are left to right: Captain Hammock, Col. Frank T. Ostenberg, Port Commander at Bremerhaven, and Col. Mansfield W. Nelson, Director of Port Operations.

Army Reveals Plans for '56 Rank Structure

The Army has revealed its plans for a rank structure based on a goal of 1,027,000 officers and enlisted men by 30 June 1956. This compares with a forecast of 1,101,800 for the end of the current fiscal year.

This shows a breakdown for the two fiscal years by rank as of 30 June:

Commissioned officers:	1955	1956
5-star	3	3
4-star	9	9
3-star	27	27
2-star	170	170
1-star	290	288
Col.	4,852	5,026
Lt. Col.	12,800	12,386
Maj.	17,727	17,217
Capt.	29,800	28,500
Subtotal	10,500	10,500
Total officer personnel	120,200	113,400

Warrant officers:

W-4	650	650
W-3	1,700	1,700
W-2	7,000	7,000
W-1	1,150	1,150

Subtotal 10,500 10,500

Total officer personnel 120,200 113,400

Enlisted personnel:

E-7	48,000	47,000
E-6	82,000	82,000
E-5	115,000	113,000
E-4	190,000	184,000
E-3	250,000	220,000
E-2	203,000	173,000
E-1	91,800	92,600

Tot. enlisted personnel 979,800 911,600

Total 1,100,000 1,025,000

Cadets, U. S. M. A. 1,800 2,000

Grand total 1,101,800 1,027,000



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GENERAL OFFICERS—

Van Fleet, Gen James A., USA, Ret; records corrected to show ret for disb (100%).
Hull, Gen John E., retired upon appl; reld fr asg and dy 2525th DU OCOFSA, Wash, DC.
Pierce, Maj Gen James R., USAREUR, to HQ Second Army, Ft Meade, Md.
Ginder, Maj Gen Phillip DeW., Ft Riley, Kans, to HQ Fifth Army, Chicago, w/sta Cp McCoy, Wis.
Beauchamp, Brig Gen Charles E., Ft Leavenworth, Kans, to 10th Inf Div, Ft Riley, Kans.
Fritzsche, Brig Gen Carl F., Ft Benning, Ga, to RYCOM, Okinawa, Ryukyu Islands.
Booth, Brig Gen Robert H., USAREUR, to 3d Inf Div, Ft Benning, Ga.
Tyson, Brig Gen Robert N., Ft Benning, Ga, to 82d Abn Div, Ft Bragg, NC.
Barnes, Brig Gen Wallace H., USAFFE, to 5th Armd Div, Cp Chaffee, Ark.
Chambers, Brig Gen Rawley E., MC; placed on temp disb ret list, pd (50%); Rel fr asg and dy, Wash, DC.
Longfellow, Brig Gen Don, MC, USARCARIB, to TU HQ OTSG, Wash, DC.

INFANTRY—

Smoak, Col John R., Ft Benning, Ga, to Stu Det ARWC, Carlisle Bks, Pa.
Skells, Col James F., Carlisle Bks, Pa, to OSD 8475th DU, Wash, DC.
Brennan, Col Mark F., Carlisle Bks, Pa, to Army Elm Iceland Det Force Dept of the Navy 866th DU, Keflavik, Iceland.
Rowny, Col Edward L., Norfolk, Va, to USA Elm SHAPE 8651st DU, Paris, France.
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Phillips, Lt Col Adolph H., Ft Leavenworth, Kans, to Bd No 3 HQ CONAR Comd, 8576th DU, Ft Benning, Ga.
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Lyon, 1st Lt David K., Ft Myer, Va, to Stu Det HQ Fifth Army, w/sta at Purdue Univ, Lafayette, Ind.
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**CNO Says New Big Carriers Need 70-100
Support Ships; Planes Costing \$365 Million**

The Navy's first five supercarriers will require a force of 70-100 ships for support and will be equipped with planes costing \$365 million.

Admiral Robert B. Carney, USN, Chief of Naval Operations, has revealed that each of the big vessels will carry aircraft costing approximately \$73 million, and will be supported by two cruisers and "a circle of destroyers" numbering from 12-18 "for antisubmarine and antiaircraft protection."

The CNO's comments on the controversial flattops were released by a House Appropriations Subcommittee following House approval late last week of the Navy's \$1.3 billion shipbuilding program in the coming fiscal year.

Included in the planned construction is the fifth Forrestal-class carrier, to be named USS *Kitty Hawk*. The vessel is expected to cost almost \$200 million, \$1,326,000 more than the *USS Forrestal*, first of the supercarriers due to be commissioned this year.

Under the original terms of the shipbuilding bill, sponsored by Chairman Carl Vinson (D-Ga) of the House Armed Services Committee, the fifth carrier was to be named *USS Congress*. The switch in names came during floor debate when the House accepted an amendment offered by Representative Carl T. Durham (D-NC).

The shipbuilding program, providing \$275 million more than was appropriated for fiscal '55, permits construction of 24 new warships and conversion of 28 other vessels (see THE JOURNAL, 5 March, for complete list of ships). Funds for construction still remain to be appropriated, and sharp opposition to additional supercarriers was voiced by some members during the House debate.

Testimony released by the Appropriations Subcommittee shows that cost of all five supercarriers will total almost one billion dollars (\$973,041,000). Here is a run-down (in round numbers) on the estimated cost of the vessels in millions: *Forrestal*—\$198; *Saratoga*—\$207; *Ranger*—\$180; *Independence*—\$189; *Kitty Hawk*—\$199.

The first of the 60,500-ton flattops will join the fleet next spring, Admiral Carney said. "She will be commissioned this calendar year in the late fall or early winter, and she will have her shakedown and the usual wearing-in or working-in process before she actually joins as an operating member of the fleet." He said he thinks the *Forrestal* will join the fleet before 30 June 1956.

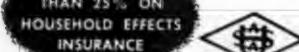
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Admiral Robert B. Carney, Chief of Naval Operations, defended the mighty floating fortresses. He said, "They are the toughest ships that have ever been built."

**USMC Revises Rules
For Shoot Entrants**

The Marine Corps has revised eligibility regulations for participation in rifle and pistol matches sponsored by the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice and the National Rifle Association.

After 1 July, Marine Corps posts and activities will be permitted to enter at Government expense up to 12 competitors in any NBPRP or NRA tournament. In addition, requests for authority for participation will not be required from Headquarters. Expenses of team members may be defrayed by appropriated funds regardless of the NRA classifications of personnel concerned.

All costs of travel, per diem, and registration and entry fees will be borne by the command issuing the orders.



NAVY UNDER SECRETARY THOMAS S. GATES, JR., and his host, Maj. Gen. Alfred H. Noble, USMC, commanding general of Camp Lejeune, N. C., in a Marine Corps Group 26 helicopter ready to take off for an aerial inspection tour of the camp.

**Navy-Marine Corps Fighting Ratio Drops;
New Four-Year Low Slated For Navy**

The ratio of fighting men in the Navy and Marine Corps is on a downhill trend and will hit a new four-year low in the Navy next year.

This disclosure was made in testimony released by a House Appropriations Subcommittee.

Navy statistics show that 59.52 per cent of all Naval personnel were assigned to the operating forces in mid-1953. This ratio had climbed to 62.71 per cent by the end of June 1954, but will drop to 60.09 per cent by the middle of this year and to a new low of 59.40 per cent on 30 June 1956.

The Navy will have approximately



CDR. GEORGE S. BENNETT, JR., USN, (left) turns over command of the Pearl Harbor based submarine *USS Sea Fox* to LCDR. Lewis H. Neeb, USN. Commander Bennett has been ordered to the Sub Board of Inspection and Survey at the Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard.

SARATOGA SPONSOR

Mrs. Charles S. Thomas, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, will sponsor the *USS Saratoga*, the second of the 60,000-ton Forrestal class aircraft carriers.

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**2d Leader Schoepper
Heads U. S. Marine Band**

Second Leader Albert Schoepper has been named to serve as Leader of the U. S. Marine Corps Band upon the retirement of Lt. Col. William F. Santelmann on 1 May.

The appointment carries the rank of captain and also confers upon Schoepper the additional office of Supervisor, All Marine Corps Bands.

M/Sgt. Dale L. Harpman, who joined the band 20 years ago, will move into the number two slot.

Second Leader Schoepper has been with the Marine Band since 1934; before his enlistment he studied violin at the Eastman School of Music in New York. He is a member of the American Bandmasters Association and the Military Order of the Carabao.

The new Leader and his wife, the former Laura Hatfield of Winnsboro, La., reside with their children, Albert, Jr., and Barbara Anne, at 1633 N. Greenbrier St., Arlington, Va.



Heads Band

**ADM. RICKOVER
HONORED**

Rear Adm. H. G. Rickover, USN, who supervised the design and construction of the nuclear-powered submarine *USS Nautilus*, this week received the 1955 Egelston Medal, Columbia University's highest alumni award for "distinguished engineering achievement."

Admiral Rickover was graduated from the Naval Academy in 1922.

**Boards Consider 6,000
Marines for Promotion**

Four selection boards and a Naval Examining Board will consider more than 6000 Marine Corps Reserve officers for promotion.

The Naval Examining Board will consider approximately 2400 second lieutenants. Selection boards will consider approximately 1000 first lieutenants, 2000 captains, 600 majors, and 15 lieutenant colonels for promotion to the next higher grade.

The captain and major boards are currently in session. The colonel and lieutenant colonel boards will convene on 5 May. Women Reserve officers will be considered for promotion on 5 May.

Reserve officers in an active status whose Regular running mates were considered for promotion by preceding selection boards are eligible for consideration. Reserve officers who have been considered by active boards are not eligible.

A board will convene in the near future to consider Reserve warrant officers for advancement in grade.

**Choose 1800 Prospects
For Campus Training**

State Selection Committees have picked 1,800 candidates and 719 alternates for the Navy sponsored NROTC program.

They were chosen from 22,000 high school seniors and graduates who applied for the program last Fall and took Naval College Aptitude Tests in December.

Quotas were apportioned among the states on a percentage basis of male high school graduates in each state during 1953-54. Committees, composed of an educator, a prominent businessman, and a Navy captain or Marine Corps colonel, picked those considered best qualified.

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 Admiral Robert B. Carney—Chief of Naval Operations

Rear Admiral

Hobbs, Ira E, CofS and Aide ComAirPac; to ComCarDiv Three.

Captain

Adamson, Frank M, CO USS Helena; to AsstCoS for Log SACLant.
 Anderson, Samuel C, CO USS Grand Canyon; to InsGen LantResFt.

Andrews, Richard S, 12ND; to ALUSNA and ALUSNA for Air Rio De Janeiro.

Ashworth, Frederick L, CO USS Corson; to ExperOff NOTS China Lake.

Carlson, Edward B, ComDesDiv 302; to Operations Staff ComPhibGru Two.

Cockell, William A, CO USS Toledo; to ComAirShipWg One.

Craig, James G R, CO NAAS CorryFld Pncla; to CO NavSta Coco Solo.

Denbo, Robert W, OpNav; to CO USS Wasp.

Edwards, John E, OpNav; to ComDesRon 20.

Farrington, Elwin L, ICAF, WashDC DuIns; to CO USS Philippine Sea.

Gage, Norman D, JStaff ClnCPac; to CO USS Great Sitkin.

Gilmore, Frank F (MC), CO NavHosp Quant; to CO NavHosp Chelsea.

Grindell, James A (MC) PhibGru One; to Staff ComPhibPac.

Hamley, Joseph R, CO USS General A E Anderson; to 12ND Tem.

Johnson, Francis J, Pns NROTCU Univ of Tex; to ComSubGru One FlaGru.

Justice, James R (DC), MarCorScols Quant DuIns; to MarCorB CamLej.

Kohr, George L, CofS and Aide ComCarDiv Six; to CO USS Intrepid.

Kuhl, Joseph H, CO USS Curtiss; to Staff ClnCPacFlt.

Laing, Frederick W, Pns NROTCU Brown Univ; to CofS and Aide LogOff EngrOff ChNavGru JAMMANT Ankara.

Lamb, Raymond S, OpNav; to CofS and Aide ComEastSeaFron.

Milner, Robert M, Staff CnVanTra NAS CorpC; to AO AirTransRon Six.

Rembert, John P, Jr, OpNav; to CO USS Tarawa.

Rice, George F, CO USS Corregidor; to CO NAAS Kingsville.

Rodgers, James H, BuShips; to CO ONR BrancOfc SFR.

Roessler, Anthony C, OC USS Ashtabula; to Captain of the Port of Balboa.

Schacht, Kenneth G, Staff ComSubPac; to CO USS Waccamaw.

Spring, Arthur F, CO USS Renville; to CofS and Aide ComTraPac.

Thompson, Floyd T, USNA Anna; to CO USS Vega.

Triebel, Charles O, Staff ClnCNELM; to ComSubPac One.

Vogeloy, Theodore R, CO USS Severn; to CofS and Aide and OperationsOff ComCruDiv Four.

Wesson, Joseph H, CofS and Aide ComDesFlt One; to MSTSNorPacSubArea.

Wirthlin, Milton R (MC) Officer in Command NavHosp in USS Consolation; to CO NavHosp Quant.

Zern, Richard D, CofS and Aide ComTraLant; to Pns NROTCU Univ of Mich.

Commander

Bill, Robert G, EASTSEAFRON; to USS Boston.

Britt, Gilbert A, (NR), USS Essex; to 11ND TEM.

Cassel, Charles M Jr, Bupers; to CO USS Fletcher.

Cooke, Frederick A F (CEC), NPG Dahlgren; to George Washington Univ, WashDC, DuIns.

Dewey, Irving D, OpNav; to CarDiv Three; to 4ND.

Gibson, Jack E, CO USS Keppler; to NavWarCol NPT.

Martin, Tom B Jr, 5ND; to JSTAFF ClnC Lant.

Mundy, Kenneth A, CO USS AreQuipA; to 12ND.

Nadeau, Louis I (NR), NavFecSta WashDC; to OIC NavRadio Sta (R) SKAGGSIS SONOMA.

Petty, Robert M, CO USS Kermit Roosevelt; to CO NavCommSta Kodiak.

Addison, James A (MC), SenScol MarCorScols Quant; to FMFPacTrps CamPem.

Brand, Ferdinand L, Bauer; to Patron 26.

Burton, Herman H (MSC), NavHosp CorpC; to NavHosp St Albans LI.

Conroy, Thomas L, George Washington Univ, WashDC DuIns; to Fair Quonset.

Covert, Charles J (CHC) Bupers; to GruDes Pac.

Frieden, Ralph W (NR), Bupers; to USS Piedmont.

Maslow, Vincent C (DC), NavDental Clinic NavB NorVa; to NavHosp Phila TRMT.

Maxwell, George T, CO FITRON 114; to AirPac.

Oliver, William B, BUAER; to PATRON 11.

Patterson, John D, OIC GunOffs OrdScol,

AdvTechServScol NavRecSta WashDC; to FleTraGru GTMO.

Schulz, Donald P, NavAdUnit LakeMeadeB Las Vegas; to FleTraCen NavB NorVa.

Selden, Clifford H, USS Bellatrix; to Phib Pac.

Sharp, Evert R (SC), MStSPacArea; to NavPhiBase LCreek NorVa.

Sotos, George P, CO USS Harlan R Dickson; to ServScolCom NTC GLakes.

Thorpe, William L Jr (SC), OSD, WashDC; to USS Howard W Gilmore.

Tilburne, Leopold R, CO USS Glynn; to OIC MerMaresOffTraFac NavResTraCen Jersey City.

Whitcomb, James L (SC), BuSanda; to Op Nav.

Wilson, James C, Staff ClnCLantFlt; to ComLSTDIV 22.

Bauer, John F, SubComNeim HedSupPact, Naples; to 5ND Tem.

Caton, Clifford E, DesLant Tem; to CO USS New.

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Fiss, Gordon R, USS Rendova; to CO USS Rendova.

Forbes, George W Jr, SubRon 12; to Com SubDiv 41.

Fraze, Murray B Jr, USS Fulton; to Com SubDiv 21.

Gaillard, William E, ICAF WashDC DuIns; to CO FasRon 102.

Gray, Louis P III, NavScol NavJustice NavB NPT; to USS Fulton.

Helsel, Kenneth D, AirPac Tem; to AirAnti SubRon 23.

Hooper, Frederic A, BuShips; to CO Nav ShipRepFac Guam.

Lewis, William E, CO USS Alderan; to 15ND.

Lingar, Ailon B (NR), OpNav; to ServPac.

Luaillen, Leslie J (DU), NavDental Clinic MarCorB CamPen; to NavHosp SDiego Du Ins.

Lummis, Wilbur S, Jr (MC), USS Hornet; to NavHosp SDiego.

Moore, Ben Jr, MarCorScols Quant DuIns; to SeventhFlt.

Mowry, Maxwell R (SC), JSTAFF USCinc Eur; to 6ND.

Park, Ernest S, NAAS ChaseFld Beeville; to CO FITRON 151.

Plumer, Ferdinand J, PhotoRon 62; to Na TechTraCen NAS Jax.

Quackenbush, Delmer F Jr, NavCommSta Guam; to NSA WashDC.

Rodgers, Robert R, CO HelAntiSubRon One; to AirLant.

Scofield, Edward K (SC), NSC Oak; to Serv Ron Three.

Slater, Mervin O, NOTS China Lake; to CO USS Braine.

Streiter, Robert M, BuAer; to CO PatRon Five.

Symmes, Harrison C, Jr (SC), Prov SupOfc NGF WashDC; to OIC NavArea ProvSupOfc Nrlns.

Watkins, Dale B (MC), NavMedU TrpIler ArHosp Oahu; to NavHosp Phila DuIns.

Weaver, Joseph W (MC), NAS NorIs SDiego; to USS Hornet.

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Andrews, Thomas L Jr, CO HaTraU NAS NorVa; to FldCom AFSWP Albg.

Beardall, John R Jr, BuOrd; to StrikFltLant.

Blesemeier, Harold W, Ofc of JAG NavDept; to DesLant Tem.

Chamberlin, Douglas F, NavSta Bermuda; to NavSta Seattle.

Clark, Clarence F, CO NavCommSta NavB Phila; to CO NavCommSta Adak.

Durfee, Elbert F, USNavShipBldg LnOfc London; to Same Sta.

Ellis, William S, ClarksvilleB; to USS Lake Champlain.

Emslie, William F, USS Vulcan; to HarDefU NorVa.

Gehman, Harold W, CO USS Shadwell; to DesLant Tem.

Holm, Stanley R, NAAS Fallon; to USS Ti conderoga.

King, James D (MC), NavHosp Oak; to Nav Hosp CamPen.

Knight, Denman W, 34 JAir DefDiv Kirtland AFB Albg; to NavAnTraCom NAS CorpC.

Lasel, Harvey L, USS Bottineau; to USS Taconic.

Laughton, Armine W (NR), CruisTraCom NTC SDiego; to USS General J C Breckinridge.

Lee, Carl F, NavHome Phila; to 4ND.

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Martyn, Ogden J (CEC), CO NavMCB One; to NAS Dvr.

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Rodenbarger, Lynn H (DC), NavSta Anna; to NavSta San Juan.

Rucker, Andrew J, CO TacRon 4; to CO Tac Ron 22.

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Kingston, George W, CO USS Jeffers; to CO USS Kirkpatrick.

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McComb, Richard L (NR), AirShipDevRon 11; to AirShipRon 1.

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Nelson, John H (NR), NavScol Preflight NAS Pncla; to AirLant Tem.

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Randolph, John B, CO USS Pompon; to Bu Ships.

Rasche, Bruce C, Univ of Washington Seatle DuIns; to AirTransRon 1.

Reese, Orville F, SubGruTwo DiegoGru; to USS Ticonderoga.

Slayton, Tison E, USS LST 1163; to AFNorth.

Simpson, Edward W Jr (NR), NROTCU Univ of Utah Salt Lake City; to NAVFE.

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Major General

Wetzel, Emery S., Westover AFB, Mass, to dy sta McGuire AFB, NJ, w/nc in dy or asg.

Brig General

Snyder, Ira D., HQ TAC, Langley AFB, Va, is rel fr dy as DCS/M, TAC asg dy as Dep for Mat, TAC.

Hopkins, Joseph G., HQ Atlantic Div, MATS, is rel fr dy sta Westover AFB, Mass, to dy sta McGuire AFB, NJ, w/nc in dy or asg.

Alexander, Edward H., fr HQ Eighteenth AF, TAC, Donaldson AFB, SC, fr dy as Dep-Com, Eighteenth AF; to HQ TAC, Langley AFB, Va, for dy as Dep-C, Umpire Gp, Exercise SAGEBRUSH.

Anderson, Charles H., fr HQ USAF, OSD, Wash, DC, fr dy w/Oast Secy of Def (Manpower & Personnel, fr dy) as Dir, Office, Manpower Rqr; to Det 1 (SHAPE), 1141st USAF Sp Act Sq, HQ Comd, USAF, APO 55, NY, NY, for dy as Dir of Opr, Office, Air Dep, SHAPE.

Viccello, Henry, fr Det 1 (SHAPE), 1141st USAF Sp Act Sq, HQ Comd, USAF, APO 55, NY, NY, fr dy as Dir of Opr, Office, Air Dep, SHAPE; to HQ Ninth AF, TAC, Shaw AFB, SC, for dy as Sp Asst to Comdr, Ninth AF.

Colonel

Skelton, John W., Wash, DC, to HQ WADC, ARDC, Wright-Patterson AFB, O.

Parsons, Albert B., Wash, DC, to Dis Early Wng Proj, NY, NY.

Collett, Wells, Hill AFB, Utah, to dy sta Spokane SupBr, Fairchild AFB, Wash.

Sebastian, Henry A, Ent AFB, Colo, to dy sta ICAF, Ft Lesley J McNair, DC.

Meyer, John C, Ent AFB, Colo, for dy as stu 1955-56 AWC Class, AU, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

Bowman, Harry G., Wash, DC, to HQ MATS, Andrews AFB, DC.

Wainwright, Charles E., Griffis AFB, NY, to 3650th USAFH, Sampson AFB, NY.

Fr Maxwell AFB, Ala to 1134th USAF Sp Act Sq, HQ Comd, USAF, Ft Myer, Va, for purpose of processing for ARA asg:

Boyd, James M., Sullivan, Charles P., Lambert, John L.

Lt. Colonel

Penn, Kirby C., Wash, DC, to 3275th USAFH, ATC, Parks AFB, Calif, (Pnt).

Sorrells, Ivy B., Wash, DC, to HQ Fifth AF, FEAF, APO 181, San Francisco, Calif.

Sandoz, Elbert G., Wash, DC, to HQ USAFE, APO 633, NY, NY.

Gudjuns, Wasco E., Wash, DC, to HQ WADC, Wright-Patterson AFB, O.

Reid, William O., Wash, DC, to HQ CTAF, ATC, Randolph AFB, Tex.

Watson, James A., Wash, DC, to HQ 1090th USAF Sp Rep Gp, HQ Comd, USAF, San-dia-B, NMex.

Umpress, Donald L., Wash, DC, to HQ 3882d Sch Gp, AU, Gunter AFB, Ala.

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Cooke, Guy Jr., Wash, DC, to HQ 315th ADIV (CC), FEAF, APO 704, San Francisco, Calif.

Couch, J. B., Wash, DC, to HQ Twelfth AF, USAFE, APO 12, NY, NY.

Zirilli, Frank L., Wash, DC, to dy sta AFSC, Norfolk, Va, for dy as Stu, class 18.

Shoop, Richard R., Wash, DC, to 195th Ftr Bom Sq, Van Nuys ANGB, Calif.

Arnold, James C., Seattle, Wash, to Milwaukee APD, Wisc.

Fribble, Holton H., Ent AFB, Colo, to HQ NEAC, Pepperrell AFB, Nfld.

Fr EntAFB, Colo, to dy sta AFSC, Norfolk, Va, for dy as stu, class 18:

Brett, Raymond E., Love, Thomas M.

Major

Walsh, James Jr., Wash, DC, to Syracuse Univ, NY.

Knowles, Harold F., Wash, DC, to HQ 3550th CCR Tng Gp (Intcp), ATC, Moody AFB, Ga. Mee, William H., Wash, DC, to HQ USAFE, APO 633, NY, NY.

Potrum, Peter, Wash, DC, to HQ Eighth AF, SAC, Westover AFB, Mass.

Merritt, Daniel W., Jr., Wash, DC, to HQ APGC, Eglin AFB, Fla.

Baker, Homer A., Wash, DC, to HQ 3520th CCR Tng Wg, ATC, McConnell AFB, Kans.

Morgan, Floyd E., Jr., Wash, DC, to HQ 1002d Insp Gen Gp, HQ Comd, USAF, Norton AFB, Calif.

Clarke, John S., Jr., Wash, DC, to HQ 29th ADIV (Def), ADC, Great Falls AFB, Mont.

Catts, William G., Wash, DC, to HQ 3535th Acft Obsr Tng Wg, ATC, Mather AFB, Calif.

Waltman, William S., Wash, DC, to dy sta Univ of Mich, Ann Arbor, Mich.

Neu, John J., Eglin AFB, Fla, to HQ 47th Bmb Wg, APO 22, NY, NY.

Roldan, Raymond R., Eglin AFB, Fla, to Pnt Sq Sec, 3810th USAFH, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

Hairson, Richard M., Lexington, Mass, to HQ 34th ADIV (Def), ADC, Kirtland AFB, NMex.

Fr Wash, DC, to HQ ACSC, AU, Maxwell AFB, Ala, stu for class 56:

Fasolas, James E., Peppers, Douglas H., Cassidy, Richard H., Peightel, James L., Moore, Donald F., Harris, Walter R., Jr., Ames, James R., Turner, Arthur L., Jr.

Captain

Wier, Peggy J., Wash, DC, to HQ 317th Trp Carr Wg (Med), USAFE, APO 13, NY, NY.

Ball, Rita J., (AFNCO), Tinker AFB, Okla, to 1400th USAFH, APO 81.

Allen, LeDewey E., Caribou AF Sta, Me, to 6th Avn Fld, DEPRON, APO 30, NY, NY.

Anderson, Clarence R., Kansas City, Mo, to Chicago APD, Ill.

Compton, Webster A., McClellan AFB, Calif, to dy sta SBAMA, Norton AFB, Calif.

1st Lieutenant

Hauser, Melvin C., McClellan AFB, Calif, to dy sta MOAMA, Brookley AFB, Ala.

Karbus, Joseph E., Caribou AF Sta, Me, to 6th Avn Fld, DEPRON, APO 30, NY, NY.

2d Lieutenant

Musser, Barry J., Wichita, Kans, to 5039th Perp Sq, AAC, Elmendorf AFB, Alaska, APO 942, Seattle, Wash.

Baker, Winfred L., McClellan AFB, Calif, to dy sta SAAMA, Kelly AFB, Tex.

Stark, Fortney H., Jr., Tinker AFB, Okla, to Milwaukee APD, Wisc.

Wells, Russell E., Brookley AFB, Ala, to 40th ADIV (SAC), Turner AFB, Ga.

Chief Warrant Officer

Swanson, Paul W., Eglin AFB, Fla, to AMFE CAMA, APO 10, NY, NY.

Parson, Alfred H., Caribou AF Sta, Me, to 10th ADIV (Def), APO 942.

FORMER ORDERS REVOKED—

Sime, Col Thomas, Jr., prev orders pertaining thereto, fr Wash, DC, to Wright-Patterson AFB, O, revo.

RETIRED—

Karlson, Lt Col George E., fr HQ ConAC (NARS), Air Res Rec Cen, Denver, Colo.

Miller, Lt Col James F., fr HQ 813th AB Gp, SAC, Pinecastle AFB, Fla.

Clapp, Maj Virgil L., in gr of Lt Col, fr HQ ACSC, AU, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

Stevens, Maj Robert W., fr HQ 4905th Maint & Sup Gp, ARDC, Kirtland AFB, NMex.

Cycon, CWO Michael F., fr 528th Mat Sq, ADC, Presque Isle AFB, Me.

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Sidirougos, 1st Lt John A., fr 3650th USAFH, ATC, Sampson AFB, NY.

O'Brien, 2d Lt Eugene E., fr 3650th USAFH, ATC, Sampson AFB, NY.

RESIGNED—

Merkle, Maj Robert W., Henderson, Maj William D.

Parrish, Maj (Capt) Maurice L., Corey, Capt James H., Jr.

McGown, Capt (1st Lt) Murlin L., Brock, Capt (1st Lt) Frank H., Sorenson, 1st Lt Robert N.

PERMANENT PROMOTIONS—

To Major

Tinsdall, Robert W., (ChC), w/DR 14 Apr 55.

To Captain

Jacobson, Richard K., w/DR 19 Apr 55.

To CWO

Boteler, Douglas M., w/DR 23 Mar 52.

Carr, Conrad R., w/DR 18 Apr 55.

Baron, James, w/DR 19 Apr 55.

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Rental vs. Government Quarters. Senator Harry F. Byrd (D-Va) reported this week that investigations made by the General Accounting Office have revealed "windfall" profits by some builders of Wherry Housing at military installations with resultant unnecessarily high rentals for Service families occupying such quarters.

Senator Byrd, whose interest stems from his chairmanship of the Joint Committee on Reduction of Non-essential Federal Expenditures, revealed instances where preliminary estimates on local taxes turned out to be much higher than the subsequent actual taxes resulting in higher rents for the Service tenants and higher profits for the builders. Another case cited a guaranteed mortgage \$18,458 higher than the actual cost of building a 130-unit project. Charges were also made that the FHA authorized rent increases in conflict with its own regulations and policy.

It should be emphasized that the investigation covered only four Wherry Act projects; it should not be taken as an indictment of the entire program. In fact, such construction was for a long time the only means of providing Service housing during the period when Government construction virtually ceased. However, even at its best it failed to provide junior commissioned or non-commissioned officers with family housing at rates commensurate with their quarters allowances.

The revelations should serve to emphasize the need for proceeding rapidly with government housing to be occupied in lieu of quarters allowances—housing which families can occupy within their means and which will be economical to the government. The government profits from building its own quarters, for it withholds the rental allowances of those occupying them. Thus after the construction cost has been repaid the withheld allowances constitute a clear gain for the government. In the Wherry Act housing, on the other hand, the builder's cost is amortized over a period of 33 years. While the government takes title upon construction, it at the same time leases the property back to the builder for a period varying from 50 to 75 years (assuming the structures last that long), so that the government continues to pay out quarters allowances for 50 to 75 years while the occupants, in most instances, pay out more than their allowances in rentals.

Senator Byrd has asked the Senate Armed Services Committee to investigate the military aspects of the Wherry program and indications are that this may be done. Such an investigation, however, would be meaningless unless it results in reduction of rentals where overcharging is revealed.

USAF's New Four-Star. President Eisenhower's nomination this week of Lt. Gen. Lawrence S. Kuter, USAF, to be a four-star general brings to the fore a young officer—not yet 50—who has had an outstanding career since his graduation from West Point in 1927. After a short tour in the Field Artillery, General Kuter was detailed in the Air Corps, graduating from Kelly Field's advanced course in 1930. Since then he has performed with distinction in many and varied Air Force positions.

When the pre-WWII military build-up began, he was one of the very few Air Corps officers qualified for staff duty. After a tour in the Operations and Training Division of the War Department General Staff, he was appointed Assistant Secretary of the War Department General Staff, and when the Department was reorganized he became Deputy Chief of Air Staff. After serving in the Tunisian campaign as deputy commander of the Northwest African Tactical Air

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Force, General Kuter returned to Washington as Assistant Chief of Air Staff for Plans, participating in the Joint Chiefs of Staff organization and with the Combined Chiefs of Staff at Quebec, Cairo, London, Malta, and Yalta. Back to combat duty, he went to the Marianas as deputy commander of the Air Force in the Pacific Ocean Areas and helped to organize the Strategic Air Forces in the Pacific.

After the War General Kuter was designated to consolidate and put on a peacetime basis several of the Air Transport Command's larger wartime divisions in the North and South Atlantic, the Caribbean and South America and was given command of the resultant Atlantic Division. Subsequently he returned to become the first commander of the new Military Air Transport Service—the first joint command under the new Department of Defense.

As Commander of the Air University he returned to Maxwell AFB, Ala., where he graduated from the old Air Corps Tactical School in 1935 and served subsequently as an instructor of bombardment, aviation, and the employment of air forces.

In his new assignment as Commander-in-Chief Far East Air Force, he succeeds General Earle E.

READERS' VIEWS

(Letters to the Editor must have author's name and address, but name will be omitted on publication if writer so states. Longer letters may be extracted for publication.)

"Best Qualified" Among Whom? Editor, THE JOURNAL:

It was with great interest that I read the article, "Chance To Be Considered," by Lt. Col. G. S., in your 5 March issue. I, too, am a permanent R.A. Lt. Col. with a temporary date of rank of 7 Sept. 1950.

I also found myself at the wrong places at promotion time during World War II: mainly in an infantry division in a forward combat area from 1942 to 1944. We had extra field grade officers in my regiment practically all the time. These majors and Lt. Cols. had been promoted in the States, in the cadre chain reaction, and shipped over to our outfit where they waited for one of our Battalion Commanders or Executive Officers to become casualties so they could be assigned to TO&E position vacancies. Meanwhile, the company commanders had no chance whatever to occupy a position vacancy and become eligible for promotion.

Now I also face the same situation

again; I am unable to become eligible for consideration. The current regulations state that all selections, both temporary and permanent, from Lt. Col. to Col. will be made on a "best qualified" basis. How can this be possible when all Lt. Cols. are not considered? The same zone of consideration was used by the last selection board as was used by the preceding board. From this it is evident that the last board considered only those that the preceding board passed over. Meanwhile, hundreds of Lt. Cols. have never been considered for temporary promotion to Col.; and, under the present criteria, will not be in the foreseeable future.

I would be very happy to have my record placed before a promotion board, in competition with all Lt. Cols., to be considered on a "best qualified" basis.

Under the present personnel policies an early retirement, at my request, and civilian employment, is more enticing each day.

Lt. Col., R.A.

Reports for Publicity Editor, THE JOURNAL:

Hoover Commission Reports used to be considered in high regard by even those cynical staff officers like myself who work in between waste paper baskets in the inner rings of the Pentagon—second floor. More often than not they used to really put their finger on a problem, and they were correct. . . . I say they used to . . . because they are currently publishing data and statements which, in private business, might well be considered as libelous.

Facts have been distorted and taken out of context—clearly with publicity in mind and not the research job which they are supposed to perform.

I wonder just how familiar our ex-president Mr. Herbert Hoover is with these proceedings which bear his name?

Lt. Col., USAF

Partridge, USAF, a WWI Army private who later graduated from the U. S. Military Academy. General Partridge, a veteran of more than 70 air missions in Korea, now goes to Ent AFB, Colo., to take over from retiring General Benjamin W. Chidlaw, USAF, the only joint US combat organization—Continental Air Defense Command.

Defense of the Services. Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson has done well to refute charges against the Armed Services being made weekly by the Hoover Commission. In fact, if he fails to counter them effectively, they can do much harm to the career incentive program on which the Defense Department has been working so hard. While the Department is seeking to boost Service prestige and morale, the Commission has been knocking them down. While the Department wants to give better medical care to Service families, the Commission wants to take away its doctors and eliminate free family care in the U. S. While the Department has obtained an increase in pay so Service families can live better, the Commission wants to reduce the travel allowances and restrict shipment of household goods. Militarily, the Commission wants to cut down Service operation and training in air transportation at a time when there is general recognition that air logistics must be increased three to five fold.

Secretary Wilson should appoint a Service committee to study the Commission's reports and suggest action on those recommendations that may have merit from a military standpoint and to deny effectively charges such as Assistant Secretary Pike branded this week as "old, not factual, and misleading."

IN THE JOURNAL

10 Years Ago—The XXIV Army Corps continued the attack against enemy lines in the southern sector of Okinawa on 23 April. Elements of the 7th Infantry Division captured an important enemy position on high ground west of Ishin Village. Enemy opposition was heavy along the entire front.

50 Years Ago—About 40 Army commissions are awaiting the return of the President to Washington, the Secretary of War having directed that no Army commissions be sent to him for his signature while he is off on his vacation.

90 Years Ago—The funeral car which carries to the grave all of the mortal part of Abraham Lincoln, is now on its mournful, but triumphant, journey through the chief cities of that land for which the Martyr-President died. Millions of his affectionate people have thronged, with heartfelt emotion, to pay the last tribute of respectful attendance at his obsequies, and, with a stillness and decorum almost unknown before such vast assemblages in our country, have testified the great love which the country bore to its Chief Magistrate.

Marines Need Aid On Housing Front; Bill On Substandard Quarters Would Help

Critical housing shortages and excessive rentals for substandard quarters are a top Marine Corps morale problem, a nation-wide survey by The Journal discloses. Reports from key Marine Corps facilities, described herewith point up the need for legislation providing new government-built quarters and for approval of the Pentagon plan to charge reduced rentals for substandard quarters.

Some Fear To Report On Quantico Housing Lest They Lose Out On Available Quarters

"There is no question that housing conditions need improvement here," officials at the Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Va., state.

In some cases, quarters are furnished with outside toilet facilities rather than standard plumbing.

Although the situation has improved over the past several years, Quantico officers say there are still many areas which should be declared off-limits.

Base housing officials, however, run into difficulties on this score. Every three months a survey is made of local living conditions; a standard form is distributed on which the men are supposed to report the inadequacies of their quarters.

Often, however, the men decline to make an official representation of the actual conditions, since they fear they will lose their places. It is their feeling that "as bad as it may be, it is better than no housing," a base housing expert relates.

In addition to the primary need for improved low-cost housing for enlisted Marines, there is also a critical demand for furnished units from young officers. At the present time, some officers are living in "primitive" housing.

While waiting periods for housing at the Marine Corps Schools are subject to seasonal variations, the majority of arriving personnel wait, on an average, from six months to a year.

During late Summer and Fall, when the longer professional schools convene, longer waiting periods for all quarters, including local-area civilian housing, are experienced. The peak waiting periods of influx and exodus exist until the Spring and early Summer, when students graduate and duty personnel receive transfer orders.

There are five types of housing and quarters available at Quantico. Schools officials, however, believe that Titles VIII and IX of the Housing Act do not provide a solution to the problem. It is felt that the real answer to the critical housing problem is more government-built three-bedroom places.

Here is a rundown on facilities at the Base:

CIVILIAN HOUSING

Local-area civilian rental housing is generally old, poorly designed, limited in size and restricted in modern conveniences and furnishings. Rents are high—the average is from \$100 per month up—for comparable Marine Corps Schools-controlled units. Three or more bedroom units are especially difficult to find.

As a result, some Schools personnel are forced to assume the added expense of living as far away as Washington, D. C., and Manassas and Fredericksburg, Va.

In general distances and travel-time to and from Marine Corps Schools main areas tend to be excessive. This is particularly true, during and following rain or snow storms, since the road network around the Base is inadequate.

Only one apartment-type project, immediately adjacent to the Schools, offers a choice of furnished and unfurnished units which can be considered modern in all respects and reasonable in price.

Some units are up for sale, but are generally inferior in construction, too expensive, and too small to meet the needs of Schools personnel.

Another problem in the Quantico area is the lack of an adequate water supply. Last Summer, for example, occupants of several, local projects, including rental units, were without water for extended periods of time. Sewage disposal and sanitation problems were acute.

The water shortage was not as critical

Some Must Wait Year For Housing At Parris Island; Many Units Substandard

The Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S. C., reports there are "immediate vacancies" in government

quarters for majors and above, but warrant officers and company grade officers must wait 10 months to a year.

Waiting period for enlisted personnel ranges up to a year.

Civilian rental housing in the Beaufort-Port Royal-Burton area is described as generally "substandard" in comparison with comparable facilities in most metropolitan areas.

There are, however, two large apartment type units, costing \$56 per month, unfurnished, and \$76, furnished, with utilities additional, for two and three-bedroom units.

All other civilian rental housing is generally of poor frame construction at rental rates about 35 per cent higher than in the Sea Island and Colonial Apartments mentioned above.

ARGONNE PARK—TRAILER PARK

There are 10 officer and 40 enlisted trailer sites for privately owned trailers located approximately four miles from the Depot Administration Building. Rent is \$6 per month, plus utilities (approx. \$8.00 monthly). There are no government owned trailers on this Depot.

GOVERNMENT HOUSING (ENLISTED)

There are 46 three bedroom units for pay grade E7; 22 two bedroom units for E6; waiting period is from four to six months, and 12 two bedroom units for pay grade E5.

RIBAULT VILLAGE—LOW COST HOUSING

This project consists of 50 two-bedroom units and is located approximately one-half mile from the Depot Administration Building. Occupancy is limited to military personnel of pay grade E4 and below. Approximate waiting period is from three to five months.

These units are all unfurnished except for kitchen stove and refrigerator. Rent is \$39.00 per month plus utilities (\$15.00 per month average).

WAKE VILLAGE—TITLE VIII

This project consists of 16 one bedroom units, 51 two bedroom units and 18 three bedroom units and is located approximately two miles from the Depot Administration Building. Occupancy limited to military personnel of pay grades E7, E6 and E5.

The approximate waiting period is six to eight months for one and two bedroom units and one year for three bedroom units.

All these units are unfurnished except for kitchen stove and refrigerator which may be removed from the units if the assigned personnel so desires.

Rents on these units is as follows:

1 Bedroom unit \$47.30 plus utilities

WHY WHERRY PROTESTS?

Throughout the Services, there have been protests about the high rentals charged for Wherry housing.

At the Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Va., a JOURNAL representative, making a housing survey, was advised that there is a \$5 per month extra charge for units with a tile bath.

For use of a master TV antenna, the cost is \$2.50 per month.

2 Bedroom unit 56.50 plus utilities
3 Bedroom unit 64.50 plus utilities
Utilities consists only of electricity (approximately \$10.00 monthly) and fuel oil in the winter months (approx. \$8.00 monthly).

OFF-STATION HOUSING

Two housing projects privately sponsored under Title IX of the National Housing Act are available to both officer and enlisted personnel in the Beaufort-Port Royal area, adjacent to the Depot.

The first of these is about one mile from the main gate known as Battery Park and consists of 60 individual (single) homes, 2 bedroom type and rent for \$59.50 each. They are equipped with space heaters and electric hot water heaters only and utilities are charged in addition to the rental. Kitchen stoves and refrigerators may be rented at \$6.00 per month per each. The waiting period is approximately three months.

The second of the Title IX developments is known as the Russell Development Company and is located near the edge of Beaufort, roughly 10 miles from the Recruit Depot, and consists of 40 individual (single) homes, three bedroom type and rent for \$79.60 each. These homes are equipped with hot water heaters and venetian blinds. Utility charges are in addition to the rent. Normal waiting period is approximately three months.

TEMPORARY HOUSING

The officers Guest House and enlisted Hostess House located on the Depot are available for temporary housing for a period up to seven days. This period may be extended if sufficient vacancies exist. The rates on these rooms are \$2.00 per night. There are also three Motor Courts located in the Beaufort area with the rates approximately \$6.00 per night.

Tourist Season Affects Rentals For Miami MCAS Officers and EM

Although there are only 13 family quarters available at the Marine Corps Air Station, Miami, officials report adequate off-station housing, with rental rates and availability dependent to a considerable extent on the tourist season.

MCAS Miami, under command of Col. R. C. Mangrum, USMC, controls 200 two-bedroom units at Opa Locka, which are assigned to personnel in the first three pay grades and E-4's with over seven years' service.

Normal waiting period is about two months.

Although it is "lost cost" government housing, the rent has been established at \$54 per month, plus about \$15 per month for utilities.

OFF STATION HOUSING

There is adequate off-station civilian housing available for personnel but due to the tourist season in the Miami area rental rates and availability of housing fluctuate.

The Station Housing Office maintains listings of civilian housing available and also maintains contact with real estate agents to assist personnel in locating housing. Civilian listings contain all types of housing from efficiency apartments to three or

four bedroom houses. Two to four bedroom units can be rented either furnished or unfurnished, but the efficiency and one bedroom units are almost always furnished.

The following is a list of the types of units and their average rent per month:

Efficiency apartments and cottages, \$40 to \$70.

One bedroom apartments and cottages, \$54 to \$75.

Two bedroom apartments and houses, \$65 to \$90.

Three and four bedroom houses, \$85 to \$150.

The average rents listed above may vary slightly with the season of the year and the location of the unit. There is little difference between the rent of an unfurnished and a furnished unit. Rent is normally requested for one and in some cases two months rent in advance upon reporting for duty at Miami.

Leases are generally requested by the landlord for his protection but most are more than willing to insert a Military Release Clause to the lease.

Trailer sites are readily available in the local area and their facilities can be obtained for approximately \$33 to \$35 per month including utilities. Trailers are available for rent from \$60 to \$70 per month in addition to the \$33 to \$35 per month paid for the trailer site.

Waiting Lists Reported For El Toro Quarters Civilian Rentals Reported To Be Scarce

Reporting "short waiting lists" for all government housing, housing authorities at the Marine Corps Air Station, El Toro, Calif., say that return of elements of the 1st Marine Division from Korea and recent establishment of industrial activities have made civilian rentals scarce.

Here is a summary of the housing situation at El Toro:

OFFICERS

1. PUBLIC QUARTERS
 - a. Fifty-two (52) individual three bedroom homes, furnished or unfurnished as desired for assignment to captains, majors and colonels.
 - b. Twelve (12) barracks type apartments furnished or unfurnished for assignment to warrant officers, lieutenants and captains on individual basis, depending on number

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MEMO For Journal Readers

ONCE UPON A TIME not so long ago the Defense Dept. had a Chief of Information, who was directly responsible to the Secretary for PubInfo matters. Then came a much heralded "streamlining." This was Re-organization Plan No. 6.

SO TWO YEARS AGO, an Assistant Defense Secretary was placed over the Chief of Information. Then the Assistant Secretary was given a Deputy Secretary for Public Affairs; also a Deputy for Legislative Affairs.

THE ECHELONS CONTINUE, for now decision has been made to place under the Deputy Secretary, three Directors-Information, Security Review and Special Activities. Most newsmen are betting the plan will run into trouble when a hot potato problem starts to get tossed about from Director to Director to Director to Deputy Secretary to Assistant Secretary to Secretary.

EXTENDED TIME INTERVAL required between Congressional approval of funds for military family housing and completion is shown in Air Force testimony that the Defense Dept. has yet to release funds for construction start of any of \$37.5 million worth of quarters O.K.'d by the 83d Congress. Certification has been given, however, for 3020 units—actually over \$2 million in excess of funds appropriated. The AF plans to start the first project in May, hopes to have 15 under way by 30 June.

NOT ALL THE TENT DWELLERS in North Africa are desert nomads. Desperate to remain together, 34 Air Force families are living in tents in Morocco. AF Sec'y Talbott calls their spirit "remarkable."

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IT WAS ANYBODY'S GUESS in the Army this week, on the basis of top Pentagon appointments, whether the next Army CofS would be Gen. Alfred M. Gruenther or Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor. Designated to be Vice CofS was Lt. Gen. Williston B. Palmer, a 1918 USMA classmate of Gen. Gruenther. Named Deputy CofS for Logistics was Lt. Gen. Carter Magruder, USMA '23, who has been CofS in Tokyo to Gen. Taylor, USMA '22.

GEN. GRUENTHER will get the top job, if the President does not feel his Services are more urgently needed at NATO. It's a big "if."

EXECUTIVE BRANCH INABILITY to come up with one solidly supported Survivor Benefits plan for the Armed Services when the chips were down jeopardizes Congressional action this session. It had been thought the stature of the 1954 Kaplan Commission, which made the most comprehensive study of this subject in history, would result in final Administration determination on a single proposal. Instead, the Defense Dept., Budget Bureau, Veterans Administration and Department of Health, Education and Welfare are not yet aligned behind one plan.

IN AN AREA where confusion is easy at best, the varied suggestions for changes in "hodge podge" Survivor Benefits laws will slow up the legislative process. As of the moment, odds are no better than 50-50 on passage of new legislation at this session.

TASK FORCE RAZOR will carry sharp Army hopes during Yucca Flat atomic tests late this month. About 800 Razor men and 250 armored vehicles from Camp Irwin, Calif., will move through the blast area in a simulated breakthrough attack. The Army is counting heavily on the upcoming test to show that its increasing armor strength can function effectively in nuclear warfare.

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COMPETITION IS GROWING for first claims on top-flight AF personnel. Heretofore, Gen. Curtis E. LeMay, C-in-C of SAC, had undisputed top grabs in the combat commands. Generally speaking, SAC still has No. 1 priority. But other commands are putting in stronger pitches for available manpower resources. It's reported that the expanding Air Defense Command, whose importance is growing all the time, now takes top priority, even over SAC, in certain officer categories.

GEN. LE MAY'S PRESTIGE has been fortified by his designation as C-in-C of SAC, instead of "commander." The JCS asked for the change, since he reports directly to them. The only other AF officer who has a C-in-C title and who does not head a joint command is Lt. Gen. William H. Tunner, USAFE C-in-C. That's because his opposite number, Army Gen. Anthony C. McAuliffe is C-in-C USAREUR.

AN ATOMIC EXPERT will take over as Army Deputy Surgeon General on 1 June. He is Brig. Gen. James P. Cooney, MC, USA, who at 52 stands a good chance later of appointment to the top medical job. A veteran of numerous assignments relating to nuclear medicine, the new Deputy is now directing Logex-55, a huge logistics maneuver at Ft. Lee, Va. He's the first medical general to hold such an assignment.

PRESIDENT EISENHOWER IS ELIGIBLE to join a new organization in the Nation's Capital. It's the West Point Society, which will activate a D. C. chapter on 5 May with a 6 p.m. meeting at Ft. McNair. Pioneer members include Maj. Gen. Henry D. Todd, USMA '90, and Lt. James R. Effer, USMA '53. Should the President (USMA '15), or anyone else desire details, they are available from Col. B. F. Castle, USAF-Ret., at 1625 Eye Street, N.W., or Col. F. F. Zitman, USMA '32, 4447 Volta Place, N.W., Washington 7, D. C.

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REDUCTION IN ROTC units is under study by the Air Force. There are now 188 in operation, which will produce about 10,900 graduates between now and 30 April 1956. The AF plans to level off at about 7000 new ROTC lieutenants per year.

FRENCH COOKING hasn't taken command among U. S. Army troops in the Paris area. Most popular food in the Seine Area Command is southern fried chicken; second is apple pie—just plain, not French apple.

USS FORRESTAL DUTY is being used as Navy reenlistment incentive. Sailors are being told that assignment to the huge carrier is "highly probable" for men reenlisting in the near future, providing their rates are included in the ship's allowance. There will probably be similar action for the other Forrestal class vessels.

DIVISION REDUCTIONS in the Army from the once-planned 24 to the new objective of 18 undoubtedly will mean stepped-up shuffles of division command assignments to give more officers a crack at this vital career advancement duty. Best guess is that few will serve in the top division slot for more than 18 months.

SUMMER TIME WILL MEAN moving time for increasing numbers of military personnel. All the Services are striving to adjust transfers to coincide with end of school years for dependents. Significantly, the Army is starting Operation Gyroscope in July.

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LaVault, Maj Paul A, 4005th SU AH, Ft Hood, Tex.

To OTSG, Washington, DC

From station indicated:

Adams, Lt Col Harry J, Ft Bliss, Tex.
Zurcher, Lt Col John J, III, Brooklyn, NY.
Fredericksen, Maj Willis L, Cp Stewart, Ga.
From Ft Sam Houston, Tex:

Petersen, Lt Col E L Steed, Lt Col O H Allen, Maj J F

To Stu Det Med Fld Svc Sch, Brooke AMC, Ft Sam Houston, Tex

From Washington, DC:

McKenzie, Maj V Pace, Capt E W, Jr

To 3d Armd Div, Ft Knox, Ky

To station indicated:

Pitts, 2d Lt John B, Ft McPherson, Ga.
Weber, 2d Lt Charles J, Jr, Ft McClellan, Ala.
White, 1st Lt Charles L, Ft Bliss, Tex.
Kellel, 1st Lt Frank, Jr, Ft Carson, Colo.
Eubanks, 2d Lt James M, Ft Benning, Ga.
From Ft Sam Houston, Tex:

Elliott, 1st Lt J J Stonbraker, 1st Lt Miller, 2d Lt V L K D

To USAFFE

From station indicated:

Waddens, 2d Lt William M, III, Ft Sheridan, Ill.
Vogt, Capt Herbert G, Ft Dix, NJ.

To USAFFE

From station indicated:

Mortimer, 2d Lt William R, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Rose, 2d Lt William M, Dallas, Tex.
Ross, 2d Lt Jeff P, Louisville, Ky.
Severny, 2d Lt Theodore A, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Streed, 2d Lt Douglas V, Minneapolis, Minn.
Taylor, 2d Lt Eugene, Indianapolis, Ind.
Williford, 2d Lt William E, Chapel Hill, NC.
Kiel, Capt Harold J, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.
Allen, Maj Allen L, Great Lakes, Ill.
Pastore, Capt Joseph A, Brooklyn, NY.
Lenhart, Lt Col Robert L, Denver, Colo.
O'Kelle, Capt Carl J, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.
Dougherty, Maj David G, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.

To USAFFE

From station indicated:

Fornier, 1st Lt Frances E, Denver, Colo.
Frock, 1st Lt Patricia G, Phoenixville, Pa.
Hollingsworth, 1st Lt Iva M, Denver, Colo.
McSweeney, 1st Lt Marion F, Ft Monroe, Ga.
Sheridan, 1st Lt Vivian C, Cp Gordon, Ga.
White, 1st Lt Myrl M, Ft Bliss, Tex.
Giacalone, 2d Lt Theresa D, Wash, DC.

From station indicated:

Beard, Maj Genevieve S, San Francisco, Calif.

Army Nurse Corps

Col Ruby F Bryant, Chief
Mixson, Lt Col Elizabeth G, Hot Springs, Ark, to 2141st-1 SU AH, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md.

Utt, Capt Yvonne M, Denver, to 1170th SU AH, Ft Devens, Mass.
Yocom, Capt Dorothy E, Ft Hood, Tex, to 2128th-1 SU AH, Ft Knox, Ky.

Lang, Capt Thelma L, Denver, to AH 8454th DU Sandia Base, Albuquerque, NMex.
Varhalla, Capt Rose F, Tacoma, Wash, to 2124th-1 SU AH, Ft Monroe, Va.

Hickey, Capt Mildred N, Phoenixville, Pa, to 5022d SU AH, Ft Carson, Colo.
Vaughan, Capt Mary E, Cp Chaffee, Ark, to 3440th SU AH, Ft Benning, Ga.

Parish, Capt Leafy M, Ft McClellan, Ala, to 3461st SU AH, Cp Rucker, Ala.
Lofton, Capt Ola O, Ft Bragg, NC, to 1262d SU AH, Ft Dix, NJ.

Kubistal, Capt Lydia H T, Ft Huachuca, Ariz, to 8454th SU AH, Sandia Base, NMex.
Lipham, Capt Corinne I, Ft Benning, Ga, to 3460th SU AH, Ft McClellan, Ala.

Izer, Capt Leona C, Cp Kilmer, NJ, to Madigan AH, Tacoma, Wash.
Williams, Capt Aones L, Pittsburgh, Pa, to Fitzsimons AH, Denver.

Gibson, 1st Lt Margaret G, Wash, DC, to 3442d SU AH, Ft McPherson, Ga.
Bentley, 1st Lt Bon N, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, to 2128th-1 SU AH, Ft Knox, Ky.

Light, 1st Lt Lucile M, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, to USAFFE.

To Brooke AMC, Ft Sam Houston, Tex

From station indicated:

Cindrick, Maj Rose H, Wash, DC.
Melelli, 1st Lt Antoinette, Oakland, Calif.

To Valley Forge AH, Phoenixville, Pa

From station indicated:

Siems, Capt Florence M, Ft Monroe, Va.
Gardner, 1st Lt Patsy R, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.

To Walter Reed AMC, Wash, DC

From station indicated:

Schaffer, 2d Lt Barbara A, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Fries, Capt Josephine G, Sandia Base, NMex.

To USAFFE

From station indicated:

Artman, Maj Ethel M, Ft Meade, Md.
Carr, Maj Minnie L, Ft Bragg, NC.
Hill, Maj Bernice M, Tacoma, Wash.
Leen, Maj Evelyn E, Ft Bliss, Tex.

Brown, Capt Frances M, Ft Riley, Kans.
Maston, Capt Dorothy R, Phoenixville, Pa.
Meikle, Capt Helen G, Ft Monroe, Va.
Solberg, Capt Anna M, Denver, Colo.

Allison, 1st Lt Dorothy S, San Francisco, Calif.

Feeley, 1st Lt Frances E, Denver, Colo.
Frock, 1st Lt Patricia G, Phoenixville, Pa.
Hollingsworth, 1st Lt Iva M, Denver, Colo.
McSweeney, 1st Lt Marion F, Ft Monroe, Ga.

White, 1st Lt Myrl M, Ft Bliss, Tex.
Giacalone, 2d Lt Theresa D, Wash, DC.

ORDNANCE CORPS

Maj Gen E L Cummings, C of Ord C

Snooks, Col James P, Jr, Huntsville, Ala, to USA Elm SHAPE 8651st DU, Paris, France.
Cozart, Col Clarence A, Cincinnati, Ohio, to 9378th TU Springfield Armory, Springfield, Mass.

Hine, Col Daniel L, Watervliet, NY, to 9306th TU Ord Wps Comd, Rock Island, Ill.
Phillips, Col John M, Chicago, to 9327th TU Erie Ord Dep, LaCarne, Ohio.

Mackey, Lt Col Harold E, Watertown, Mass, to 9306th TU Ord Wpn Comd, Rock Island, Ill.

Yokas, Lt Col Albert C, Boston, Mass, to Hq and Hq Det Army Members MAAG Iran 8673d DU, Teheran, Iran.

Peyton, Maj Allen T, Jr, Pueblo, Colo, to USAFFE for dy with MAAG Denmark (USA Sec) Copenhagen.

Brady, Capt Philip B, Ft Sill, Okla, to 9337th TU the Ord Tng Comd, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md.

Voorhees, Capt Donald L, Ft Bragg, NC, to Stu Det Army Lang Sch, Presidio of Monterey, Calif.

Richardson, Capt Hal C, Lafayette, Ind, to USA 8660th DU, West Point, NY.

Trask, Capt Carlton E, Center Line, Mich, to MAAG Italy, (USA Sec) Rome, Italy.
Coleman, Capt Albert D, USAFFE for dy with MAAG France (USA Sec) Paris.

Zeller, Capt Norman C, Texarkana, Tex, to 49th AAA Bn Skokie, Ill.

From Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md

Katz, Maj Sidney, 9301st TU Aberdeen Pr Gr, w/sta Hq Wright Air Dev Cen, Wright Patterson AFB, Ohio.
Danner, Maj Leroy M, 7001st SU Hq MDW, Gravelly Pt, Wash, DC.
Bryant, Maj Oren W, 9311th TU Boston Ord Dist, Boston, Mass.

Conrad, Capt Charles E, Hq Second Army, Ft Meade, Md.
Capuano, Maj Joseph, 9365th TU Rossford Ord Dep, Toledo, Ohio.
Barnard, Capt John M, 9386th TU Umatilla Ord Dep, Ordnance, Oreg.

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Army Orders

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To 9301st TU, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md.

From station indicated:
Posse, Col Ernest W, Atlanta, Ga.
Meredith, Capt Francis, Jr, Lafayette, Ind.
Cook, Capt Robert E, Lafayette, Ind.
Stein, Capt Donald H, State College, Pa.

To Officer Stu Co, 3461st SU, Cp Rucker, Ala.
From Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md:
Blien, 2d Lt J W Dull, 2d Lt R E

To 9393d TU White Sands Pr Gr, Las Cruces, NMex

From Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md:
Stowell, Maj W M Worthen, Maj R D
From Lafayette, Ind:
Ferguson, Capt J W Whitmore, Maj H E
Nickerson, Capt F E

To 9304th TU Detroit Arsenal, Center Line, Mich

From station indicated:
Sawyer, Capt Richard H, Lafayette, Ind.
Anderson, Capt Wayne S, Ann Arbor, Mich.

To 9330th TU Redstone Arsenal, Huntsville, Ala

From station indicated:
Lindberg, Capt William J, Lafayette, Ind.
From Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md:
Dougherty, Maj G J Morea, 2d Lt S F

To 9355th TU Picatinny Arsenal, Dover, NJ
From station indicated:
Hochmuth, Capt Milton S, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md.

Hall, Capt William C, Lafayette, Ind.
To 9388th TU Watervliet Arsenal, Watervliet, NY

From station indicated:
Toole, 1st Lt Raymond L, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md.
McCarron, Capt Dean J, Lafayette, Ind.

To USAFFE

From station indicated:
Abrams, Col Bernard B, Wash, DC.
Doyle, Maj Walter J, Joliet, Ill.
Luker, Capt Wilbur H, Pueblo, Colo.
Nelson, Maj William J.
Raen, Maj John C, Jr.
Quick, Lt Col George S.

To USAREUR

From station indicated:
Wright, Capt George L, Ft Benning, Ga.
Janicki, 1st Lt James H, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.

To Hq USAFA

From station indicated:
Rackham, Maj Karl M, Metuchen, NJ.
Besse, Lt Col Warren E, Carlisle Bks, Pa.

To USARPAC

From Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md:
Schisler, 1st Lt Howard R.

CHEMICAL CORPS

Maj Gen William M Creasy, C Cml O

Terrell, Lt Col Joseph S, Wake Forest, NC, to 9700th TU OC Cml O, Wash, DC.

Hurley, Lt Col Frederick J, New York, to 9712th TU Pine Bluff Arsenal, Arsenal, Ark.

Williams, Lt Col Timothy C, Arsenal, Ark, to 9700th TU OCCMLO, Wash, DC.

Duncan, Capt Carl R, Governors Is, NY, to 6513th SU Southern Calif ROTC Instr Gp, w/sta Univ of Calif, Los Angeles, Calif.

To 9758th TU Cml C Tng Comd, Ft McClellan, Ala

From station indicated:
Middlebrooks, Lt Col Marvin A, Ft Knox, Ky.

Lane, Lt Col Jack F, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.
Kirkpatrick, Lt Col David V S, Pocatello, Idaho.

Murrell, Maj Hampden J, Nashville, Tenn.
Vanderbleek, Capt Jack, Atlanta, Ga.

Bryan, Capt John A, Monterey, Calif.

To Officer Stu Co, 3461st SU, Cp Rucker, Ala

From station indicated:
Brophy, 2d Lt Edward R, Jr, Army Cml Cen, Md.

To USAFFE

From station indicated:
Jewett, 1st Lt Allen C, Pocatello, Idaho.
Howard, Col William H B, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.

To USAREUR

From station indicated:
Wineski, Capt Max E, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.
Petersen, Capt Wayne S, Muscle Shoals, Ala.

Sanders, Capt Troy H, Arsenal, Ark.
Wells, Maj Sidney L, Baltimore, Md.

Tippitt, Capt Frank W, Baltimore, Md.
Gobar, Maj Kenneth W, Ft McClellan, Ala.

Packard, Capt Russel L, Ft George Meade, Md.

Rice, Capt Delbert E, Army Cml Cen, Md.
Servis, Lt Col John D, Ft Leavenworth, Kans.

CHAPLAINS CORPS

Maj Gen Patrick J Ryan, C of Ch C

Koepke, Maj Theodore V, New Haven, Conn, to 8792d TU the Ch Sch, Ft Slocum, NY.

Richard, Capt Charles J, Cp Gordon, Ga, to USARCARIB (Antilles).

To USAFFE

From station indicated:
MacDonald, Capt Edward J, San Francisco.

TRANSPORTATION CORPS

Maj Gen Paul F Yount, C of T

Rehmann, Col Edward L, Wash, DC, to HQ Fifth Army, Chicago, Ill.
Warcholik, Lt Col Victor, Westover AFB, Mass, to Ft Dix, NJ.

Hyatt, Lt Col Farrell P, Travis AFB, Calif, to SEPE, Ft Mason, Calif.

Griffin, Maj Laurence B, Ft Eustis, Va, to 763d Trans Bn, Ft Meade, Md.

Keith, Capt Arthur G, Jr, Ft Bragg, NC, to 587th Trans Co, Ft Sill, Okla.

Hodgson, 1st Lt Lowell F, Chicago, to 894th Tk Bn, Ft Knox, Ky.

Johnston, 1st Lt Douglas E, Ft Eustis, Va, to 9266th YU TC Army Avn Fld Svc Office, St Louis, Mo.

To Trans Tng Comd, Ft Eustis, Va

From station indicated:

Furlong, 2d Lt James J, New Orleans, La.
Dowling, Capt James, Quantico, Va.
Thatcher, Capt David C, Wash, DC.

To 9710th TU Hq Cml C Research and Engr Comd, Army Cml Cen, Md

From Monterey, Calif:

Farmer, 1st Lt L D Shaw, Capt H E

To Co A ASA Stu Bn, 8622d DU, Ft Devens, Mass

From Ft Eustis, Va:

Bates, Maj W E, Jr Swain, Capt Q S, Jr

To Officer Stu Co, 3461st SU, Cp Rucker, Ala

From Ft Eustis, Va:

Horne, 2d Lt L D, Jr Coleman, 2d Lt R D

To OCOFT, Washington, DC

From station indicated:

Sams, Col Thomas E, Chicago.

From Ft Leavenworth, Kans:

Melius, Lt Col Donald C.

To USAFFE

From station indicated:

Holden, Maj Francis W, Jr, Buffalo, NY.

From Ft Eustis, Va:

Curry, Maj Jack A Lamb, Capt L E, Jr

Borges, Capt R A Pilgrim, Capt O C

Wildes, Maj Thomas Berger, Maj Casper

To USAREUR

From station indicated:

Dixon, Lt Col Hoiston T, Ft Eustis, Va.

Delaney, Lt Col Arthur W, Lewisburg, Pa.

Hoch, Capt Reiner F, San Francisco, Calif.

Bozeman, Maj Richard E, Madison, Wisc.

Thomas, Lt Col William R, Eugene, Oreg.

To USAR

From Ft Eustis, Va:

Wilsey, Lt Col Robert W.

MILITARY POLICE CORPS

Maj Gen William H Maglin, PMG

Coffman, Col George W, Carlisle Bks, Pa, to 8801st TU, Cp Gordon, Ga.

Sharp, Lt Col Robert W, Cp Kilmer, NJ, to HQ Sixth Army, Presidio of San Francisco.

Koelman, Maj William A, St Louis, Mo, to 3461st SU MP Det, Cp Rucker, Ala.

Sweat, Capt Milton W, Huntsville, Ala, to 4052d SU AAA and GM Cen, Ft Bliss, Tex.

Walker, 1st Lt Theodore H, Ft Riley, Kans, to Hq and Hq Det 7126th JTF 7 Task Gp 7, Eniwetok Atoll, Marshall Islands.

To Officer Stu Co, 3461st SU, Cp Gordon, Ga

From Camp Gordon, Ga:

Rich, 2d Lt Paul E.

From Cp Gordon, Ga

To station indicated:

King, Maj Byron B, UARCARIB (Antilles).

DiCarlo, Capt Philip A, 9181st TU Ft Worth Gen Depot, USA, Ft Worth, Tex.

Sibert, Capt Dennis W, 3460th SU, Ft McClellan, Ala.

Elliot, Capt Paul R, 2323d-3 SU Pa ROTC Instr Gp, Indianaian Gap Mill Res, w/sta Duquesne Univ of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Geroy, 2d Lt Robert D, 3442d SU, Ft McPherson, Ga.

Demorest, 2d Lt Edward H, 9207th TU SEPE, Seattle, Wash.

To USAFFE

From station indicated:

Rolak, Maj Bruno J, Ft Leavenworth, Kans.

To USAR

From station indicated:

Harthens, 2d Lt Peter G, Ft Belvoir, Va.

WOMEN'S ARMY CORPS

Col Irene O Galloway, Director

Wandelt, Capt Virginia H, Chicago, to 3442d SU Sta Com, Ft McPherson, Ga.

Bonser, Capt Audrey A, Seattle, Wash, to USA Elm SHAPE, 8651st DU, Paris, France.

Thome, 1st Lt Alice C, Ft Harrison, Ind, to 2021st SU USA RCT and Induction Main Sta, Fairmont, W Va.

McKee, 1st Lt Betty M, Ft Ord, Calif, to 1202d SU RCT and Induction Main Sta, New York, NY.

Rice, Capt Delbert E, Army Cml Cen, Md.

Servis, Lt Col John D, Ft Leavenworth, Kans.

CHAPLAINS CORPS

Maj Gen Patrick J Ryan, C of Ch C

Koepke, Maj Theodore V, New Haven, Conn, to 8792d TU the Ch Sch, Ft Slocum, NY.

Richard, Capt Charles J, Cp Gordon, Ga, to USARCARIB (Antilles).

CHIEF WARRANT OFFICERS

Grittton, Claude S, Ft Eustis, Va, to 119th CIC Det, Ft Meade, Md.

Van Pelt, Clifford A, Huntsville, Ala, to Stu

Det 9352d TU Ord GM, Redstone Arsenal, Huntsville, Ala.

DuSold, Paul E, Ft Bliss, Tex, to 9909th TU Louisville Med Dep, Louisville, Ky.

Toohy, James W, Ft Lee, Va, to 2002 SU 2d AA Support Unit, Ft Meade, Md.

Brezina, Eddie B, Ft Lewis, Wash, to USA Elm Allied Forces Southern Europe, Det 2, 8651st DU, Naples, Italy.

To USAFFE

From station indicated:

Knery, William R, Ft George G Meade, Md.

Pedersen, Stanley J, Ft Bragg, NC.

Putnam, George F, San Antonio, Tex.

Tani, Matt A, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.

Turner, David R, Philadelphia, Pa.

Brobst, Charles R, Ft Lee, Va.

Ames, Francis H, Ft Hamilton, NY.

Barnes, Walter E, Ft Carson, Colo.

Brown, Merle G, Jr, Aberdeen Pr Gr, Md.

Stillings, William A, San Francisco, Calif.

Mendenhall, Perry A, Ft Hancock, NJ.

Fann, William E, Richmond, Va.

Miller, James T, Ft Hood, Tex.

Koenig, Joseph A, Ft Sill, Okla.

Ramsey, James G, Jr, Oklahoma City, Okla.

To USAREUR

From station indicated:

Elkinton, Edward, Chicago.

Thomas, Clarence F, Ft Ord, Calif.

York, Norman J, Ft Hood, Tex.

Freese, Charles A, Ft Lewis, Wash.

Monts, Miles M, Ft Bragg, NC.

Munro, Arthur M, Ft Lewis, Wash.

Porter, John R, Ft Lewis, Wash.

Bailey, Ernest D, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.

Bartley, Anthony P, Ft Benning, Ga.

Bourland, Sam R, Ft George G Meade, Md.

Briley, Fred L, Blacksburg, Va.

Coulam, Donald M, Chicago, Ill.

Dimat, Arthur A, Ft McClellan, Ala.

Hancock, Ralph R, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.

Hood, Glen D, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.

Keenan, Jasper E, Ft Knox, Ky.

Martin, William T, Ft George G Meade, Md.

McKenzie, Murray W, Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.

Renshaw, Carl L, San Francisco, Calif.

Riley, John I, Lexington, Ky.

Roberts, Claude, Boulder, Colo.

Thornburg, Arthur M, Ft Sam Houston, Tex.

Tyler, Derry, San Francisco, Calif.

Viarengo, Livio, Aberdeen Pr Rg, Md.

West, Earl W, Ft MacArthur, Calif.

Meyerdrk, Alvin R, Ft Ord, Calif.

Walsh, Harold J, Ft Kilmer, NJ.

Barnett, Earcell R, Ft Bragg, NC.

To USARCARIB (Antilles)

From station indicated:

Rhyme, Lloyd T, Ft Bragg, NC.

To USARCARIB (Panama)

From station indicated:

Chisolm, Henry L, New Orleans, La.

Dela Cruz, Nicomedes, Ft Ord, Calif.

Vallant, Raymond L, Ft Sill, Okla.

Thrasher, William A, Atlanta, Ga.

O'Steen, Bernard V, Cp Chaffee, Ark.

To USAR

From station indicated:

Isaacs, Charles A, Army Cml Cen, Md.

Stanley, Earl L, Ft Bliss, Tex.

Miller, Willie, Ft Lewis, Wash.

Clark, Broadus, Broughton, Pa.

WARRANT OFFICERS

Lawless, John J, Ft Benning, Ga, to USA Elm SHAPE 8651st DU, Paris, France.

McNally, James W, Wash, DC, to USA Elm SHAPE 8651st DU, Paris, France.

To USAFFE

From station indicated:

Rich, 2d Lt Edward H, Ft Riley, Kans.

To USAFFE

From station indicated:

SERVICE FAMILY NOTES



FORT KNOX, KY.—Mrs. Ralph Paige (left), and Mrs. Robert L. Covington (right), hostesses for a recent Medical Officers' Wives luncheon, join Mrs. A. L. Tynes to pose for the photographer just before luncheon. (Mrs. Tynes is the wife of Col. A. L. Tynes, commanding officer of the U. S. Army Hospital here.) Forty ladies attended.

THE Army Chief of Engineers, Maj. Gen. Samuel D. Sturgis and Mrs. Sturgis are to entertain the Inspector of Engineers of the French Army, General Robert Pinson, at dinner at Ft. Belvoir, Va., Monday, 9 May. The following day is the anniversary of the 180th birthday of the Engineer Corps, and it will be celebrated by the Commanding General of the Fort, Maj. Gen. Louis W. Prentiss, and Mrs. Prentiss with a dinner and reception.

General and Mrs. Sturgis are going to New York, 5 May, to attend the unveiling of the restored monument, covering the grave in old St. Paul's churchyard of the famous French Engineer Etienne Marie Bechet, Sieur de Rochefontaine, who served under General Washington and in 1794, when a Congressional act founded a Corps of Artillerists and Engineers, he commanding the unit which evolved into the U. S. Military Academy at West Point.

Andrews' Flower Show

The Andrews AFB Officers' Club became a spring garden on 19 April when the Officers' Wives' Club held its annual flower show. The entrance to the show was through a walled garden complete with flowering shrubs, trees and even goldfish in a pool. This lovely setting was the work of Mrs. Sidney Nutt, Jr., and her committee.

The judges, Mrs. Thomas D. White, Mrs. John C. Plews, and Mrs. Thomas E. Moorman presented two sweepstakes awards. These went to Mrs. E. G. Pfeiffer for her composition, "Sugar and Spice and Everything Nice" and to Mrs. D. D. Charbonneaux for her table setting, "Sweet Sixteen."

Other first place winners were: Mrs. R. C. Kandt—coffee tables; Mrs. Donald Kendrick—vegetables; Mrs. James L. Hartman—dining tables; Mrs. Gertrude Atkinson—buffet tables. The chairman of the Flower Show was Mrs. David Robinson.

Navy Medical Service Corps

Wives Meet

A parade of hats was the highlight of the regular monthly luncheon and meeting of the Naval MSC Wives' Club, when they gathered, on 21 Apr., at the Officers' Club of the National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md.

Following luncheon, a short business meeting was held, with the Club's president, Mrs. Willard C. Calkins, presiding.

Members of the club modeled the attractive hats shown by one of Washington's leading hat shops, with Mrs. Jeanne Donavon commentating.

Mrs. William A. Breathwit was hostess chairman, and assisting her were Mesdames Paul R. Cox, Arthur E. Johnson, Joseph E. Francisco, Horace G. Armitage, James W. Linder and Edward W. Walker.

The next meeting will be held on 19 May, at which time election of officers will take place.

QM Women's Club Have Final Luncheon

With a "Spring Showers" theme, the Quartermaster Women's Club held their last luncheon of the season, in the ballroom of the Ft. McNair Officers' Club, on 21 April.

Mrs. Robert Stevens, wife of the Secre-

tary of the Army, was to have been guest of honor but, unfortunately, Mrs. Stevens had to be out of town at the last moment.

Mr. Jay Carmody, drama critic of the *Evening Star*, was the guest speaker and gave an interesting and amusing talk on some of the many film and stage personalities he has met.

Mrs. James Quinn was luncheon chairman and was assisted by Mrs. Theodore Perry and Mrs. Davis Scott with the decorating. Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Kermit Silverwood, Richard Oliver and Chester Morrison. Special features were in charge of Mesdames Robert Ward, Curtis Ramsel, Grosjean Stagg and Robert Staley.

The door prize, a lovely centerpiece of pale yellow, lavender and pink flowers, was won by Mrs. Joseph Murray.

Chaplains & Wives To Dine

Sharing honors with the newly-elected officers of the Chaplains' Wives' Club of the greater Washington Area will be the Chaplains of the Army, Navy and Air Force, at the closing meeting of the year, which will be a dinner on Tuesday, 3 May, at 7:00 p.m. at the Walter Reed Officers' Club.

The club will be headed next season by Mrs. H. A. McKnight, president; Mrs. C. M. Martin, vice-president; Mrs. W. H. Vinson, recording secretary; Mrs. H. C. Wood, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. R. S. McCarty, treasurer.

Spring flowers and decorations as well as dinner music have been arranged by Mrs. A. M. Shoemaker, chairman of the hostesses, who will be assisted by Mrs. T. M. Anthony and Mrs. J. H. Shilling. Lt. Col. William L. Gibbons, baritone, who studied in Europe, accompanied by Mrs. Gibbons, will give a program of operatic and light operatic selections.

General Sturgis To Address Club

Army Chief of Engineers, Maj. Gen. Samuel D. Sturgis, Jr., will discuss "The Most Important Men in the World," when he speaks to members of the Engineer Officers' Wives' Club during their lunch-

eon meeting on 3 May at Ft. Lesley J. McNair.

Elisabeth DuVal, Hungarian violinist, and Lillian Moldewan, Boston pianist, will present what promises to be a colorful and interesting musical program.

The election of officers is on the agenda. Mrs. Douglas Fitzgerald has charge of arrangements for the luncheon, and Club members are invited to make reservations with her at JACKSON 7-3968. Mrs. Fitzgerald will be assisted by Mesdames James C. Rives, Giles Evans, Alfred A. Chabert, George M. Corey, Alexander G. Sutton, Jr., and Paul D. Troxler.

General and Mrs. Sturgis entertained on the evening of 28 April, at a cocktail party at their home, 1869 Wyoming Ave., N.W., Washington. More than 100 key officer and civilian heads of divisions of the Office of the Chief of Engineers attended, with their ladies.

Attn: Flying School Class 41-C

Contact Lt. Col. W. M. Houston, Headquarters, USAF, AFOOP, Pentagon, Washington 25, D. C., in order to get on mailing list for important information concerning the class.

Kendricks Leave USMA For SCO

A formal dinner-dance, given by the officers of the U. S. Army Hospital at West Point, N. Y., was held 23 April, in honor of Col. and Mrs. Douglas B. Kendrick, MC, USA who are due to depart in the near future. Mrs. Kendrick was presented with a set of traditional West Point service plates.

Colonel Kendrick, Commanding Officer of the USAH, will be assigned to The

Surgeon General's Office as Executive Officer.

Upon his departure, Col. Rolland B. Sigafos, MC, USA, at the present time Chief of the Medical Service, will assume temporary command of the USAH, until the arrival of Col. James B. Stapleton, MC, USA, who is scheduled to assume command in August.

Service Folk

COL. THURSTON H. BAXTER, USAF, took the oath of office as President of the D. C. Sons of the American Revolution, on 19 April. Colonel Baxter, who is presently on duty at the Pentagon, and Mrs. Baxter reside at 912 Cameron St., Alexandria, Va. . . .

History seems to be repeating itself for the **COL. ELLIS O. DAVIS** family, inasmuch as 25 years ago, Colonel Davis passed competitive examinations for his entrance to the U. S. Military Academy, as a member of the old Army Air Corps; and now, his son, **A/2C E. O. DAVIS, JR.**, has been informed that, out of a tested group of approximately 300, he ranked seventh, and will enter the Military Academy next July. . . . Another "Army Junior," **HUGH J. SOCKS, JR.**, son of **COLONEL** and **MRS. SOCKS** of Paris, France, a senior at the Frankfurt, Germany High School, has been notified that he will receive a Congressional appointment to the U. S. Military Academy. . . .

M/SGT. and MRS. WILLIAM C. BOYER, JR., of Offutt AFB, Nebr., have distinguished themselves with college report cards of straight A's. Mrs. Boyer's represented the culmination of her first semester's study at Omaha University, and her husband's marked the final one that has led him to a Bachelor degree in General Education. . . .

Service Weddings

and Engagements

Mrs. and Mrs. Owen W. Comstock of Auburn, N. Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Ruth, to 1st Lt. John G. Skidmore, USAF, son of Mrs. Reginald A. Skidmore of Bethlehem, Pa.

Miss Comstock is now a senior at the University of Michigan School of Nursing. Lieutenant Skidmore, a graduate of the U. S. Naval Academy, class of 1951, is studying for his Master's degree at the University of Michigan.

The wedding is planned for June 1956.

WEAVER-VOLZ—Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Volz of San Antonio, Tex., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary Sue, to Cadet Thomas Gerald Weaver, USMA, son of Mrs. Lamar Weaver of 507 Parland Pl., San Antonio, and the late Colonel Weaver.

The bride will graduate from the Incarnate Word College in May, and her fiance is a member of the class of 1955 at the U. S. Military Academy.

The wedding is planned for July, in St. Peter-Prince of the Apostles Church, San Antonio.

SMITH-THOMPSON—Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Thompson of Burlingame, Calif.,

have announced the engagement of their daughter, Lt. (jg) Virginia Elizabeth Thompson (NC), USNR, to Lt. (jg) Francis Neale Smith, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose L. Smith of Baltimore, Md.

Lieutenant Thompson was graduated from St. Joseph College of Nursing, San Francisco, Calif. She received her indoctrination at the U. S. Naval Hospital, St. Albans, L. I., N. Y., in 1953, and has been stationed for the past two years at the U. S. Naval Hospital, Charleston, S. C.

Lieutenant Smith was graduated from Loyola College, Baltimore, and attended Officers Candidate School at Newport, R. I. He has been stationed recently aboard the USS Gherardi, operating out of Charleston.

An August wedding is planned.

RICHARDSON - SIMONDS — Mrs. Jeanne McHugh Simonds, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. William Bristol McHugh, was married at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley T. Ray, at San Diego, Calif., on 21 April, to Capt. David Charles Richardson, USN. Chaplain (Cdr.) Warren Wolf officiated.

Miss Suzanne Simonds, daughter of the late Cdr. Bruce Thomas Simonds, USN, (Continued on Next Page)



Photo by Brooks
MRS. THOMAS E. COLE, bride of Ensign Cole, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Carmichael of Leesburg, Va., and was the former Miss Joan Carmichael.



Photo by Brooks
MRS. CHARLES EARLE STORRS, was Miss Doris Joan Webb, before her recent marriage to Lieutenant Storrs. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Charles Bushang.



Photo by John Rose
MISS MARY SUE VOLZ, whose engagement to Cadet Thomas Gerald Weaver, USMA, son of Mrs. Lamar Weaver and the late Colonel Weaver, has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Volz.



Photo by John Rose
MRS. JAMES F. COATES was the former Miss Margaret Eijk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Eijk of South Plainfield, N. J., before her recent marriage to Lieutenant Coates.



Photo by Sticher
MRS. THOMAS FRANCIS HUNNINGHAKE, daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Thomas E. Coony, before her marriage to Lieutenant Hunninghake, was Miss Anne Katherine Coony.

Weddings and Engagements

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(USNA '41), attended her mother, Lt. Col. Walter Cornnell served as best man.

Captain Richardson, presently on duty in Washington, D. C., is the son of the late Mr. Isiah Richardson of Meridian, Miss., and Mrs. Richardson of Washington, D. C. He and his bride will be at home, after 15 May, at 6512 N. 26th St., Arlington, Va.

OVERFELT-DENNING—1st Lt. Emma A. Denning (AFNC), USAF, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William A. Denning of Jonestown, Pa., was married to 1st Lt. Clifford D. Overfelt, Jr., USAF, son of Colonel (USA-Ret.) and Mrs. Overfelt of Auxvassie, Mo., and Daytona Beach, Fla. The marriage took place at the Post Chapel, Ft. Myer, Va., on 15 April, with Chaplain (Lt. Col.) A. M. Shoemaker officiating.

Given in marriage by her brother, Mr. William A. Denning, the bride wore a white lace gown with matching jacket. Her shoulder-length veil was attached to a small lace cap, and she carried a white orchid-topped Prayer Book.

Mrs. Frank Siracusa of Longport, N. J., was matron of honor, and Colonel Overfelt served as his son's best man. Lt. Daniel McAllen, USAF, ushered.

Mrs. Overfelt is a graduate of St. Luke's Hospital School of Nursing, Bethlehem, Pa. Lieutenant Overfelt is a graduate of Westminster College, Fulton, Mo., where he was affiliated with the Beta Theta Pi fraternity. He took graduate work at the University of Missouri.

ANDREWS-FULLER—Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Cartey announce the marriage of their daughter, Virginia Cartey Fuller to Col. Charles Leon Andrews, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews of Glendale, Calif. The vows were exchanged at the Post Chapel, Ft. McPherson, Ga., on the evening of 19 April, with Chaplain W. I. Jordan officiating.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a ballerina gown of blue cymatette. Her attendant was Mrs. Virginia Berg, and the best man was Maj. William Aycock of Ft. McPherson.

Mrs. Andrews attended the University of Georgia. Colonel Andrews was graduated from the U. S. Military Academy and attended the Sorbonne in Paris, France. He is presently assigned to Third Army Headquarters at Ft. McPherson as Deputy G-2.

After a wedding trip to Florida, the couple will make their home at Ft. McPherson.

COLE-CARMICHAEL—Miss Joan Carmichael, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Carmichael of Four-J-Hill Farm, Leesburg, Va., was married, on 23 April, at the U. S. Navy Chapel, Washington, D. C., to Ens. Thomas E. Cole, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Sterling Cole of Bath, N. Y. Chaplain Oliver Jones officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of nylon tulle and Chantilly lace fashioned with a scalloped neckline, a fitted bodice and a bouffant skirt with lace medallions, cascading into a chapel train. Her fingertip veil of silk illusion fell from a lace cap highlighted with seed pearls. She carried a Prayer Book with a white orchid and lilies-of-the-valley marker.

The sister of the bride, Miss Judith Carmichael, was maid of honor, and the other attendants were Mrs. W. Scott Watson, Mrs. George Kettle and Mrs. William S. Cole, Jr. Best man for Ensign Cole was Lt. (jg) W. S. Cole, Jr., and ushers were Messrs. David Cole, Thomas Farrell, Robert Cole and James Hancock.

The bride was graduated from Mt. Vernon Seminary and the Mt. Vernon Junior College. She was presented to society in Washington at the Debutante Cotillion in 1952. Ensign Cole was graduated from Bullis School and Colgate University, where he was a member of the Sigma Nu fraternity. He attended Naval Officers Candidate School and was commissioned in December 1954. He is now serving aboard the USS Newport News.

Following a wedding trip, the couple will make their home in Washington.

ARNOLD-WHITE—A noon wedding, on 14 April, at St. James' Anglican Church, Hudson Heights, Quebec, Canada,

united in marriage Miss Mary Francis White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John White of Hudson, and Mr. Charles Treat Arnold, son of Maj. Gen. (USA-Ret.) and Mrs. Archibald V. Arnold of Southern Pines, N. C. The Reverend E. C. Royle and Canon J. J. Willis officiated.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attended by Miss Daphne Pinhey of Hudson. Capt. A. V. Arnold, Jr., USA, presently stationed in Nurnberg, Germany, acted as best man for his brother. Messrs. John W. Wideman and William Ritchie served as ushers.

The bride is a granddaughter of Mr. Charles F. Crandall, formerly President of British United Press, Montreal. She is a graduate of Kings Hall, Compton, Quebec, and McGill University.

Mr. Arnold is the great-grandson of the late Mr. John Black Cornell of New York City, and the grandson of the late General Charles G. Treat of Washington, D. C. He is a graduate of Hotchkiss School and Williams College. He served as a lieutenant of Field Artillery in Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold will live in Philadelphia, where he is enrolled at the University of Pennsylvania in the Graduate School of Architecture.

SERVICE - GUSTAFSON—The marriage of Mrs. Natalie Harpst Gustafson to Lt. (jg) James Edward Service, USNR, was performed in All Saints Episcopal Church, Corpus Christi, Tex., on 15 April. The service was witnessed by family members only, with the Rev. H. C. Palmer officiating.

Miss Toni Harpst, sister of the bride, was the only attendant with Lt. (jg) Macon G. Core, USN, acting as the best man.

Following the ceremony Dr. and Mrs. Alton J. Harpst, of San Diego, Calif., parents of the bride, were hosts at a small reception for the bridal party. They entertained at 514 Pelican St., Laguna Shores, where the bride and groom and the bride's young son, Master Mark Gustafson, will presently make their home.

Mrs. Service is the widow of Lt. (jg) C. Earl Gustafson, USNR. She is a graduate of Stanford University and a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority and Zeta Rowing Club.

Lieutenant Service attended Penn State and was formerly a member of the Blue Knight Squadron at Miramar NAS. He has recently completed his second tour of duty in the Orient and he is now attached to the NAS, Corpus Christi, where he is an instructor. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Edward Service of Huntington Valley, Pa.

HUNINGHAKE-COONY—The Catholic Chapel at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., was the scene of the double-ring ceremony, uniting in marriage Miss Anne Katherine Coony, and Lt. Thomas Francis Hunninghake, on 16 April. The bride is the daughter of Lt. Col. and Mrs. Thomas E. Coony of Ft. Harrison, and parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunninghake of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of imported organdy with a scalloped tiered bouffant skirt, and an elbow-length illusion veil. She carried a bridal bouquet of white orchids and lilies-of-the-valley.

Her maid of honor was Miss Patty Mead, and Miss Mary Ellen Keane, cousin of the bride, was the only other attendant. Mr. Alfred Morse of Cincinnati, was best man for Lieutenant Hunninghake. Ushering were Messrs. Richard Horan and Thomas Coony, brother of the bride.

The bride was graduated from the American High School in Heidelberg, Germany, while her father was serving as Chief of the Budget Division, and later, as Acting Chief and Deputy Chief of the Finance Division, European Command. She attended Indiana University, and has been employed as an airline stewardess.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Xavier University. He is presently stationed at Ft. Knox, Ky.

COATES-EJK—Miss Margaret Ejk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Ejk of South Plainfield, N. J., was married to Lt. James F. Coates, son of Mrs. Evelyn Coates of Rochester, N. Y., at the Sacred

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MRS. DOLORES BENFORD, left, president elect of the "Wives' Wing," Aero Medical Association, received her symbol of office from Mrs. Mary Dana, outgoing president following their first meeting of the 1955-56 season. At that time it was announced that next year's convention would be held in Chicago on 16, 17, 18 April 1956. The 1955 meeting in Washington attracted more than 1500 medical people. Mrs. Benford is the wife of Col. Robert Benford, USAF(MC) and Mrs. Dana is the wife of Adm. W. P. Dana, (MC) USN.



Heart Church, South Plainfield, on 16 April.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of embroidered nylon net, with an illusion veil held by a crown of seed pearls. She carried white roses.

Her sister, Mrs. John Millen, was matron of honor, and Miss Doris Gardner served as bridesmaid.

Lieutenant Coates is Assistant TI&E Officer at Camp Kilmer, N. J.

STORRS-WEBB—Miss Doris Joan Webb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Charles Bushang of Elkhart, Ind., became the bride of 2d Lt. Charles E. Storrs, at the Post Chapel, Camp Loseny, P. R., on 11 April. Lieutenant Storrs is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hulbert Howard of Bergen, N. Y. Chaplain (Capt.) F. R. Lewis officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by Capt. William A. Smith. Her ballerina-length gown was fashioned with a bouffant skirt of point de Venice lace over nylon net, a princess bodice and a lace jacket.

Mrs. William A. Smith served as maid of honor and 2d Lt. Edward B. Freeman was best man. Ushering were Lieutenants Richard Boyle and John Clark.

The bride studied at Georgia State Women's College. Her husband was graduated from the U. S. Military Academy, after attending the Manlius Military School. He has been assigned to Camp Loseny only recently, from Ft. Benning, Ga.

VAN HORNE-TATE—Mrs. Parker Tate of Arlington, Va., announces the marriage of her daughter, Joan, to Mr. Edwin James Van Horne, Jr., son of Colonel Van Horne, USA-Ret., of Alexandria, Va., and the late Mrs. Van Horne.

The wedding took place at St. Matthew's Cathedral, Washington, D. C., on 31 Dec., and was followed by a wedding breakfast at the Mayflower Hotel.

Following a wedding trip in the South, Mr. and Mrs. Van Horne are making their home in Arlington, Va.

Mrs. Van Horne is the daughter of Brig. Gen. F. J. Tate, USA-Ret., of Royal Oak, Md. She was graduated from Duke University in 1951.

Mr. Van Horne attended the U. S. Military Academy and Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He is a Senior Sales Representative for Addressograph-Multigraph Corporation, Washington Branch.

STEADMAN-BAILEY—St. Mary's Church, Landover Hills, Md., was the setting on 16 April, for the marriage and Nuptial Mass of Miss Mildred Ann Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Bailey, Jr., to Mr. Frank M. Steadman,

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jr., son of Colonel and Mrs. Steadman of Arlington, Va.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of Chantilly lace in the French rose pattern, combined with nylon tulle, its long lace sleeves forming calla lily points at her wrists. The bouffant skirt of tulle over satin had medallions of lace throughout the front and cascaded into a cathedral train. Her fingertip veil of silk illusion fell from a tiara of seed pearls.

Her maid of honor was Miss Marcia P. Steadman, sister of the groom. The bridesmaids were Mrs. Joseph L. Weiler, and the Misses Lou Ann Donahoe and Fae Joyce Beavers. Best man for Mr. Steadman was Mr. Thomas B. Bailey, brother of the bride, and ushering were Messrs. Carroll Kenney, Joseph L. Weiler, and James Shaeffer.

The bride attended St. Cecilia's Academy, Washington, D. C. Mr. Steadman attended Georgetown University and is now in the employ of the District Engineers.

After a wedding trip to New York, the young couple will make their home in Mt. Rainier, Md.

Named to Solar Post

G. C. Younie, who served four years with the Army Corps of Engineers during WW II, has been named manager of the Solar Aircraft Company's Southwest office in Ft. Worth, Tex.

Mr. Younie was Chief Engineer with Braniff Airways, Inc., prior to his new appointment with Solar. He was discharged from the Service in 1946 with the rank of captain.

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TWO BRIGADIER GENERALS' WIVES have taken over new Far East Command-wide posts in Tokyo as Deputy Directors of the American Red Cross Office of Volunteers, Far Eastern Area. They are (left to right): Mrs. Ruth C. Butchers, wife of Brig. Gen. Ralph J. Butchers of Eighth Army Headquarters; and Mrs. Edith M. Fowler, wife of Brig. Gen. John G. Fowler of Headquarters, Far East Air Forces.

Role Of Service Wife Told By Eglin Base Commander

■ **ELGIN AFB, FLA.** The Air Force Wife was the theme of the recent April Officers' Wives Club luncheon. Col. Frank H. Mears, Base Commander, spoke on this subject to more than 200 Air Force wives present.

Colonel Mears stressed the point that the wife has great influence on her Air Force husband toward his happiness and success, and the subsequent success of the Air Force in accomplishing its mission. He brought out the point that the Air Force is big business, in fact, that so large an organization as "General Motors could fit into one corner of SAC." He explained that each wife has a proper role to play in supporting her husband as a teammate to help present the correct big picture of a successful Air Force.

The luncheon was sponsored by the wives of the 3205th Drone Group with Mrs. E. F. Hoover as chairman. Heading one of Mrs. Hoover's most important committees were Mrs. A. J. Bregar and Mrs. G. W. Might who were responsible for the creation of the table decorations with the assistance of many other Drone Group wives. These decorations were doll-like replicas of the AF wife en-

gaged in varied activities around the clock.

The 25 dolls which represented wives scrubbing, water-skiing, packing, cooking, watching children and entertaining, etc. were painstakingly hand made from coat hangers and crepe paper in bright colors, complete with appropriate props. The board table was decorated with two of the dolls with a low centerpiece of spring flowers in pastels. The poem entitled "The Air Force Wife" was printed and placed at each plate by Mrs. D. B. Durbin.

The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. F. P. Gallo, president, who had the secretary, Mrs. J. T. Gravely, read Mrs. Patrick W. Timberlake's letter of appreciation for the farewell gift of silver candelabra, presented her by the Eglin OWC, of which Mrs. Timberlake has been honorary president.

Mrs. Hoover, as chairman for the luncheon, awarded door prizes to Mrs. G. E. Sullivan, an 1847 Rogers silverplated covered vegetable dish; to Mrs. F. J. Hancock, a similar silver pitcher; and to the newest newcomer, Mrs. J. R. Lichtenstein, the floral centerpiece.

Col. Allen Joins V Corps

■ **FRANKFURT, GERMANY.** Col. William H. Allen, Jr., USA, has been named V Corps assistant artillery officer to succeed Col. Hugh Belden, USA, reassigned to the U. S.

A USMA '30 graduate, Colonel Allen formerly was assigned as assistant coordinator, Central Army Group Plans Section, Hq USAEUR.

Mrs. Judd Heads NCO Wives

■ **REDSTONE ARSENAL, ALA.** Mrs. James Judd has been elected president of the NCO Wives Club. Other officers chosen include Mrs. Jack Greenwood as vice president; Mrs. Ronald Bachman, secretary and Mrs. Ernest Burdick, treasurer.

Chairman for the Membership Committee is Mrs. Earl Pelham. Mrs. Allen Nelson was made chairman for publicity.

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Red Cross Rolls Bolstered At Benning

■ **FT. BENNING, GA.** Twenty-eight Gray Ladies and Nurses Aides have been added to the roll of American Red Cross workers at the U. S. Army Hospital here.

Sixteen Gray Ladies and 12 Nurses Aides received their caps, certificates and pins after completing a probationary training program.

Col. Norman H. Willey, MC, USA, hospital commander, presented certificates to the new volunteers. Maj. Grace Monroe, ANC, hospital staff nurse, presided at the capping ceremonies.

Mrs. Ruth S. Bruce, executive director of the Muscogee County, Ga., Chapter of the American Red Cross, presented service stripes to Mrs. Leland L. Bogle, a Nurses Aide, and

Mrs. D. M. Earnshaw.

GRAY LADIES added to the roll include Mesdames Martin Beckerman, Robert M. Carter, D. M. Earnshaw, George S. Guy, Norman A. Mattmuller, Noel A. Menard, Thomas P. Reaves, Foy Rice, Arthur Ringler, Monica R. Rush, William E. Smith, John G. Strickland, Ralph Summers, Jr., William Terrell, Richard Walton and Richard L. Weaver.

NURSES AIDES who were graduated include Mesdames George R. Beer, Archie L. Bishop, Leland L. Bogle, II, Cecil C. Brewer, Robert E. Lamb, Albert C. Lieber, Joseph W. Markham, Henry W. Mark, S. Z. Ogden, Wallace Scott, John R. Smoak, and D. R. Thomas.

Election In Eritrea

■ **KAGNEW STATION, ASMARA, ERITREA.** At the monthly luncheon and business meeting of the Officers' Wives Club, on 7 April, the following officers were elected to serve for the period of six months: Mesdames Marty Greene, president; Mary Kotarsky, 1st vice-president; Connie Johnson, 2d vice-president; Ruby Harbin, secretary; and Wylene Hoffman, treasurer.

International Scholarship Fund

■ **PRES. OF MONTEREY, CALIF.** Mrs. Walter E. Kraus, on behalf of the Army Language School Women's Club, presented a contribution recently to Mrs. Walter Lehmann for the Monterey Peninsula International Scholarship Fund. Mrs. Lehmann is Chairman of the Monterey Peninsula International Scholarship Committee.

This fund enables the Committee to bring foreign students to the Peninsula for one year's study at the Monterey Peninsula College. Last year, two foreign students were chosen by the committee.

The proceeds from sales of the Women's Club Cook Book, "What's Cooking Around The World;" its stationery and Christmas cards; and revenue realized from the Women's Club Thrift Shop, made this contribution of \$250 possible.

On the Women's Club Committee, along with Mrs. Kraus, Honorary President, were Mrs. D. Lee Hamilton, wife of the Academic Dean, and Mrs. Bennie B. Nichols, Women's Club President.

■ **FT. SHAFTER, T. H.**—Mrs. Tess Kopesak, winner of the Ladies' Golf Championship Tournament, receives championship trophy from Col. Leon O. Pond, president of the Board of Governors, U. S. Army, Pacific Golf Assn. Mrs. Kopesak defeated runner-up Mrs. Jeanette Wilkinson 5 and 3. Mrs. Kopesak is the wife of Col. Arpad A. Kopesak, Chief, Operations and Planning Branch, Plans Division, Headquarters, U. S. Army, Pacific.

MRS. STEPHAN ACCEPTS HUSBAND'S MEDAL

■ **CHICAGO, ILL.** The Bronze Star Medal, awarded the late Lt. Col. Merrill R. Stephan, USA, for distinguished services in Japan, was presented posthumously to his widow, Mrs. Clara E. Stephan, 6100 Kimbark Avenue, Chicago, in a formal ceremony 18 April at Fifth Army headquarters. Presentation was made by Lt. Gen. Hobart R. Gay, USA, Commanding General of Fifth Army.

Colonel Stephan was cited for his outstanding service as Troop Information and Education Officer, Headquarters and Service Command, in Tokyo during the period 24 April 1952 to 28 February 1953. His death there, following a brief illness, was on 15 November 1954. Burial was in the Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, Va.

Elect Mrs. Nobles

■ **FT. SAM HOUSTON, TEX.** Mrs. Richard Danek, president of the Headquarters Fourth Army Woman's Club at Ft. Sam Houston, announced the new officers for the 1955-56 season, following the general election. Formal installation of the new officers will be held at the May meeting. The new President is Mrs. Lawrence Nobles, and Mrs. C. G. Schenken is vice-president. Mrs. I. D. White, wife of Lieutenant General I. D. White, commanding general, Fourth Army, is the honorary president of the organization.

Other officers for the coming year are: Mrs. Frank Mayfield, Recording Secretary; Mrs. Norman A. Moore, treasurer; Mrs. Philip H. Bethune, corresponding secretary.

Kentucky's First

■ **FT. KNOX, KY.** Kentucky's first Salk vaccine shot was taken here on 22 April by the pretty, eight-year-old Brenda Gregory, blonde, blue-eyed second grader at Crittendenberger School. She is the daughter of M/Sgt. and Mrs. Ralph Gregory. Mrs. Ray Johnson, Fort Knox school nurse, administered the shot.

A total of 980 first and second graders were inoculated at the post in the state's first mass administration of the new vaccine.

Capped At Andrews

■ **ANDREWS AFB, MD.** At a recent Capping Ceremony at the Base Hospital, the following members of the Officers' Wives' Club received their certificates indicating the completion of the prescribed training course for Gray Ladies:

Mesdames Nicholas H. Chavasse, Richard B. Davis, Richard E. Fitzhugh, Robert L. Houghton, James M. Johnson, George A. Koefoed, John C. Layson, William K. Mann, Luther B. Matthews, Fred D. Reeves, E. G. Pfeiffer, Floyd B. Whitlow, J. M. Tyndall, William S. Winneshiek, and James B. Thompson.

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IX Corps Changes At Sendai

■ **SENDAI, JAPAN.** Col. Charles B. Milliken, USA, IX Corps Comptroller, has left for assignment at Headquarters, Far East Command.

Lt. Col. Raymond L. Johnson, USA, has been appointed Ordnance Officer for IX Corps, replacing Col. E. Stanton Palmer, USA, assigned to new duties with AFFE/8th Army Ordnance Section.

Prior to his present duty with IX Corps, Col. Johnson served as Ordnance Officer, 40th AAA Brigade, (Yokohama) and with the UN Mission to Java in 1948.

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Joint Club Meeting

■ **FT. CLAYTON, C.Z.** Members of the Ft. Amador Officers Wives Club and the Doctors Wives Club joined the Ft. Clayton Officers Wives Club at their regular monthly luncheon, Wednesday afternoon, 13 April 1955. The luncheon took place at the Fort Clayton Officers Club, C. Z.

Mrs. Willard R. Seymour, the program chairman introduced Mrs. Mercedes Alegre Smith, who gave a most interesting talk and demonstration on cooking the native dishes. She prepared sample dishes consisting of plantain, yucca and seviche, and named and discussed the preparation of several other fruits and vegetables from an elaborate display. Mrs. Smith is well known throughout the Isthmus for her extensive knowledge and teaching of Panamanian cooking.

Hostesses were Mrs. Ralph H. Sievers and Mrs. William G. Tharp, who arranged for a delicious luncheon and gaily decorated tables. The luncheon was enjoyed by 107 women. First and second door prizes were won by Mrs. A. P. King from the Doctors Wives Club and Mrs. P. T. Fancher of the Ft. Amador Officers Wives Club.

MEMORY LECTURE

■ **SIGNAL CORPS CENTER, Ft. MONMOUTH, N.J.** An unusual program was provided members of the Woman's Club at the April luncheon meeting when Dr. Bruno Furst, internationally recognized authority in the field of memory training and concentration, presented a lecture and demonstration.

Preceding the meeting, members and guests were received by Mrs. V. A. Conrad, honorary president; Mrs. F. F. Uhrhane, president; and Mrs. P. O. Langguth, in charge of arrangements for the meeting. Dr. and Mrs. Furst were also on the receiving line.

The ballot of candidates for election of officers for the coming year, to be held at the May meeting, was announced.

Mrs. J. D. O'Connell, wife of Major General O'Connell recently appointed Chief Signal Officer, was guest of honor.

Fashion Show

■ **FORT CARSON, COLO.** Members of the Officers' Wives' Club held their April luncheon at the Officers' Open Mess recently. Highlight was a fashion show featuring round-the-clock spring fashions from several Colorado Springs department stores.

Models were Army wives Mrs. Donald L. Taylor, Mrs. Stanley A. Gertzman, Mrs. Louis G. Mentz, Mrs. John G. Kloke, Mrs. Robert P. Hatcher, Jr., Mrs. Robert Nevins and Mrs. William Hendrickson. All are members of the Colorado Springs Charm School, Mrs. Charles A. Pitts, chairman.

Mrs. Jack Kichler acted as commentator and Miss Ruby Durkin as fashion coordinator.

In a ceremony following the luncheon, Mrs. Ben Ward, new president of the Officers' Wives' Club, presented the retiring officers and chairmen of standing committees with a silver bon-bon dish with the inscription "Officers' Wives' Club" and the dates of their terms of office.

So honored were Mrs. Donald McClain, Mrs. Richard Borndahl, Mrs. William Lucas, Mrs. Cecil B. Kase, Mrs. Gerald Crook, Mrs. Millard Singleton, Mrs. Howell E. Misdom, Mrs. Francis Garner, Mrs. Robert McQuail, Mrs. Marion Jackson, Mrs. Albert W. Shiflet, Mrs. Roger L. Bradley, and Mrs. Herman Ruppe.

Guests of honor at the luncheon, which was attended by more than 200 members, were Miss Carolyn Samson of the Colorado Springs "Free Press" and Mrs. Roy King, program director of Fort Carson's Special Services section.

Col. Janowski Is C.O.

■ **CAMP STEWART, GA.** Col. Raymond A. Janowski, USA, has arrived to assume command of the recently activated 61st Anti-aircraft Artillery Group. He had been at Pittsburgh, Pa., where he commanded the 7th Anti-aircraft Artillery Battalion.

Colonel Janowski resides with his wife, Helen, and three sons at Cpt. Stewart.

Mrs. Watson Heads White Sands NCO Wives

■ **WHITE SANDS PROVING GROUND, N. M.** Installation of officers of the NCO Club Auxiliary was held recently with Mrs. Tim Watson, past president and charter member of the Auxiliary, acting as installing officer.

Mrs. Adele Akers was installed as president. Other officers include Mesdames Penny

Maj. Smith Commended

■ **SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.** Maj. Sidney W. Smith, USAF, was awarded the Commendation Ribbon 18 April, in ceremonies held at 630 Sansome Street, San Francisco, California. The ribbon and an accompanying citation was presented to Major Smith by Col. Edwin M. Eads, USAF Installations Representative, South Pacific Region.

The award was presented to Major Smith for meritorious service as Chief of the Planning Division, Japan Air Defense Force, Nagoya, Japan, from May 1952 to March 1954.

Great Lakes To Far East

■ **GREAT LAKES, ILL.** LCDR. Charles A. Scoville, USN, Training Officer of the Recruit Training Command here since Jan. 1954, has been ordered to new duties in the Far East.

Commander Scoville, who resides with his family at 620 Jackson St., Waukegan, Ill., began his naval career in 1927. He was commissioned Ensign from Chief Signalman in 1942. In 1947 he was an "Honor Graduate" of the Naval School of Justice at Port Hueneme, Calif.

He has been assigned to Service Division 31 of the Far East Command where he will serve as a salvage officer and is scheduled to depart 31 May.

RAdm. & Mrs. Boone Entertain

■ **ANNAPOLIS, MD.** RAdm and Mrs. Walter F. Boone were hosts at luncheon Saturday preceding the sports events. Their guests from Washington were RAdm and Mrs. Charles Brown, Maj. Gen., and Mrs. Alonzo P. Fox and Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Robert F. Tate. Following luncheon they attended the Navy lacrosse game with the University of Virginia, and the 150 pound crew race with the University of Pennsylvania.

Admiral and Mrs. Boone gave a reception on 19 April for the members of the Board of Visitors who met last week at the Naval Academy, and their ladies. On 20 April the Boones entertained at a formal dinner in honor of the visitors who in the afternoon had taken the review at the dress parade.

Mrs. Edwin Randolph Page, widow of Colonel Page, (USA, Ret.), who has been making her home at St. Margaret's for some time left New York on 27 April by plane for Europe for an indefinite stay. She will be the guest of Lt. Gen. and Mrs. Orval Cook in Paris.

Johnson Wing Tops Again

■ **JOHNSON AB, JAPAN.** The 3rd Bombardment Wing (L) is the first wing in the Fifth Air Force to win first place in the Commander's Rating three months in a row.

The 3rd Bomb Wing had a total of 992 points out of a possible 1,000 in February. It led other Fifth Air Force units during December and January also.

Col. Cecil P. Lessig, USAF, who was named commander of the 41st Air Division in the recent reorganization of Fifth Air Force, commanded the 3rd Bomb Wing during the period cited.

Col. Seedlock Elected

■ **NOUASSEUR, FRENCH MOROCCO.** The Society of American Military Engineers, French Morocco Post, recently held an organizational meeting and Brig. Gen. W. K. Wilson, Jr., USA, Mediterranean Division Engineer, and temporary president, presided.

Elected as officers were: president, Col. Robert F. Seedlock, USA, and the following members of the Corps of Engineers: vice president, Mr. Frank C. Carey; secretary, Mr. Lloyd J. Hellman; treasurer, Mr. Otis M. Jernigan; assistant treasurer, Mr. Elmer C. Swanson.

The first, second and third directors are Mr. Paul B. Erskine, Atlas Constructors; Col. M. J. B. Welker, USA, and Maj. T. H. Maas, USAF.

The nominating committee includes Messrs. Jean Vernisse (chairman), French Liaison Mission; Louis X. Murat, Atlas Constructors; and David H. Boyd, William H. Koldal and Ralph W. Hillman of the Corps of Engineers. The program committee was appointed by the president, and consists of Messrs. James F. Vanek (chairman), Corps of Engineers; David W. Mathews, U. S. Air Force; Jean Vernisse, French Liaison Mission; and Louis X. Murat, Atlas Constructors.

Guests for the occasion were Monsieur Francois Henrot, Assistant Director, Morocco Society for the Distribution of Water, Gas and Electricity; and Col. Edmund K. Daley, Inspector General, Office of the Chief of Engineers.

Maj. Smith Commended

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Other Notes On Activities Of Service Retired

General Walter B. Smith, USA-Ret., has been elected board chairman and president of A.M.F. Atomics, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of the American Machine and Foundry Co.

Upon leaving office as Under Secretary of State last October, General Smith was made vice chairman of American Machine's board of directors. Mr. Morehead Patterson, board chairman, said of the general, who was President Eisenhower's WWII chief of staff, will be responsible for the company's atomic energy operations.

VADM. HAROLD G. BOWEN, USN



Gen. Smith

Ret., has resigned as executive director of the Thomas Alva Edison Foundation and will be succeeded by Assistant Professor of History George E. Probst of the University of Chicago. The admiral established the Edison Museum in West Orange, N. J.

COL. H. W. RILEY, USA-Ret., has been named vice president of Corvey Engineering Co. of Alexandria, Va., and will be in charge of the Engineering Projects and Operations Analysis Departments.

CAPT. CARL I. ASLASKSON retires 1 May after more than 30 years' service with the Coast and Geodetic Survey, including recent service as technical advisor on electronic survey and geodesy at the Air Force Long Range Proving Ground, Patrick AFB, Fla.

BRIG. GEN. OSCAR W. KOCH, USA-Ret., has received a Guggenheim Fellowship for studies of military intelligence in combat. He will survey techniques and methods used in actual battle situations.

TRANSFERRED—

Gray, 1st Lt Barbara, USAF, is trf fr the DAF to the DA, in RegAF gr, fr Lowry AFB, Colo, to 9940th TU, Brooke AMC, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

AIRMEN TRF TO AFRES & ASG TO INAC STATUS—

Burdeshaw, M/Sgt Brown, M/Sgt R J
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Benedict, A/2C Nila Sims, A/3C Tommie B
M. jr



NAPLES.—Inspecting the Italian Carabinieri is Maj. Gen. Patrick W. Timberlake, new Commander Allied Air Forces Southern Europe. General Timberlake was given honors at the NATO Southern Europe headquarters. He is accompanied by Capt. Thomas E. Donnelly, commander of the U. S. Marine honor guard that participated in the ceremony. General Timberlake was nominated this week to be a lieutenant general.

5th Infantry Reunion

The Fifth Infantry Regiment Association will hold its annual reunion 24 July at Ft. Williams, Me. Further information can be obtained from Joseph Pelton, Secretary, 27 Wilson St., Portland, Me.

HONORABLY DISCHARGED—

Edelen, 1st Lt Robert W

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Doyle, Lt Col Cecil G
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Buckner, Jean H, 2dMarDiv, CamLej; to Overseas.
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Canavan, Desmond E, Overseas; to Maxwell AFB.
Dean, Raymond L, MCS, Quantico; to 2dMar Div, CamLej.
Hausman, William F, 2dMAW, MCAS, Cher Pt; to NWC, Wash, DC.
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Smith, Andrew G Jr, MCAS, El Toro; to Maxwell AFB.
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Boyd, Robert W, Overseas; to 1stMarDiv, CamPen.
McDonald, Peter A, NavSta SDiego; to NavB, NorVa.
Robertson, Donn J, Overseas; to HQMC.
Colonels Lewis H Delano and Arthur R Stacy were ordered from MCAS, El Toro, to NWC, Newport, R. I.
Colonels John F Dobbins and John C Walsh, Jr, were ordered from Overseas to the NWC, Wash, DC.
Capehart, William C, NavyDept; to Overseas.
Seab, Edward M Jr, MCS, Quantico; to Navy Dept, Wash, DC.
Twitchell, John S, NavyDept; to Overseas.

Lt Colonel
Bacon, Franklin C, MarPac, SFran; to HQMC.
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Henry, Wallace, HQMC; to InactvSta Ret List.
Kels, Lynn N, NAS, NorVa; to 2dMAW, MCAS, CherPt.

Kurr, Meryl F, Overseas; to MarPac, SFran.
Santelmann, William H, MarBks 8th&I Sts, WashDC; to InactvSta Ret List.

Doyle, Edward J, MCS, Quantico; to Overseas.
Garretson, Frank E, HQMC; to 1stMarDiv, CamPen.
Miller, William M, Overseas; to NavB, NorVa.

Bailey, Charles J Jr, NavB, Norfolk; to MCB, CamPen.
Collins, Frank H, 2dMAW, MCAS, CherPt; to NWC, Newport, R. I.

Seely, Deryle N, NROTC Unit, Iowa State College; to Overseas.
Case, William N, Overseas; to 2dMAW, MCAS, CherPt.

Gregory, Noel C, MCS, Quantico; to NWC, Newport, R. I.
Maa, John B Jr, NAS, South Weymouth, Mass; to 3dMAW, MCAS, Miami.
Riley, Russell R, NAS, Oakland; to MCAS, El Toro.

Sundholm, John E, 1stMarDiv, CamPen; to MCS, Quantico.
Wills, Virgil T, 1stMarDiv, CamPen; to MCS, Quantico.

Bradshaw, John T, 1stMarDiv, CamPen; to HQMC.

Gierhart, George B, 1stMarDiv, CamPen; to HQMC.
Armitage, Gerard T, Overseas; to Ft Leavenworth.

Bigger, Warner T, 1stMarDiv, CamPen; to HQMC.

Burgoyne, William R Jr, ForTrps, CamPen; to NWC, Newport, R. I.

Carley, John F, Overseas; to Maxwell AFB.

Clarke, Maurice H, NROTC Unit, Duke Univ; to NavB, NorVa.

Coles, Thomas M, NAS, NorVa; to 2dMAW, MCAS, CherPt.

Goodpasture, Maurice C, MCS, Quantico; to NavyDept.

Gray, Robert H, 1stMarDiv, CamPen; to Nav B, NorVa.

Haynes, James R, MCS, Quantico; to NavB, NorVa.

Lundrigan, John C, 9thMCRD, Chicago; to HQMC.

Pankhurst, Paul L, MCAS, El Toro; to 2d MAW, MCAS, CherPt.

Wright, Raymond D, ForTrps, 29 Palms; to NWC, Newport, R. I.

Rooney, John T, MarPac, SFran; to HQMC.

Schaefer, Carl A, 1stMarDiv, CamPen; to Overseas.

Schenke, Clarence R, 1stMarDiv, CamPen; to 8thMCRD, New Orleans, La.

Spooner, John R, Overseas; to NAS, Oakland.

Wagner, Laverne W, 1stMarDiv, CamPen; to HQMC.

Widdeke, Charles F, 1stMarDiv, CamPen; to MarBks, Wash, DC.

Major

Dike, George K, Selective Serv System, Bismarck, NDak; to Inactv duty.

Phillips, Allen L, HQMC; to MCS, Quantico.

Shenaut, Donald L, HQMC; to MCSC, Barstow.

Koetsch, Julius F, Model Basin, Carderock, Md; to Overseas.

Assad, Albert J, MCB, CamLej; to HQMC.

Faser, George M, NAS, Alameda; to MCAS, El Toro.

Fenton, Francis I Jr, Overseas; to 12thMCRD, SFran.

Hugunin, Leland J, 1stMCRD, Boston; to Inactv duty.

Rinehart, Albert F, Ft Benj Harrison, Ind; to Overseas.

Winneberger, George L Jr, MCS, Quantico; to NAS, Alameda.

The majors listed below were ordered to Maxwell AFB from the indicated stations:

Overseas—Robert L LaMar, Don E Wegley and Fred A Steele.

MCAS, Miami—Lloyd B Dochertan.

MCAS, CherPt—John F Driftmier and Edwin B Long.

HQMC—Robert F Shields.

Ryder, Bertram S, 1stMarDiv, CamPen; to USNA.

Barian, Dieran B, NavB, NorVa; to Overseas.

Doxey, Donald T, Overseas; to 1stMarDiv, CamPen.

Stahlstrom, Harry A, 3dMAW, MCAS, Miami; to TrpTruLant, LCreek.

Sullivan, Walter E Jr, MCAS, El Toro; to NWC, Newport, R. I.

Captain

Oitermann, John J, USNA; to MCRS, SaltLC.

Vogt, Timothy S, Ft Sill; to MCS, Quantico.

Humphrey, William N, HQMC; to MCB, Cam Pen.

Ray, Edwin A, MarPac, SFran; to Overseas.

Wickham, Lawrence V M, 1stMarDiv, Cam Pen; to HQMC.

Kleffoth, George C, HQMC; to Overseas.

Marsh, James W, USNA; to MCRS, Little Rock.

Olson, Stanley H, USNA; to MCRS, Des Moines.

Smith, Thomas C, Overseas; to MCRS, Milwaukee.

Wadsworth, Richard M, Overseas; to MCRS, Seattle.

Glosson, Robert E L, HQMC; to Overseas.

McHardy, George, 2dMAW, MCAS, CherPt; to Inactv duty.

1st Lieutenant

Tilly, Robert C, NAS, Pncla; to NAS, Memphis.

Enoch, John T, MCRD, ParrisIsl; to HQMC.

Jacobs, Ralph R, HQMC; to MCB, CamPen.

Blanchard, Lee, NavB, NorVa; to Overseas.

Hosey, Mansell E, MCAS, El Toro; to NAS, Memphis.

The 1st lieutenants shown below were ordered from NAS, CorpC, to MCAS, El Toro:

Ackerson, G G, 3d

Fritzken, Jas W

Alm, Richard A

Ayers, Thos J

Carpenter, Donald R

Lono, Luther A

Robinson, Alan K

Bacon, Dwight G

Becker, Leslie R

Cripe, Fredk J

Darby, Donald W, Jr

Woodward, R W

Cretney, Warren G

Jordan, Joseph P

The 1st lieutenants listed below were ordered to inactive duty from the stations shown below:

1stMarDiv, CamPen—Anthony Garner and Earl L Williams.

MCAS, El Toro—Rolle Oatley, Jr.

TrpTruLant—James A Campbell, Jr.

MCB, CamPen—Barry W Jackson.

HQMC—Paul F O'Connell.

MarPac, SFran—Robert R Gandy and Thos M Robinson, Jr.

The 1st lieutenants shown below were ordered from NAATC, CorpC, to Inactive Duty:

Whelen, Jas W, Jr

Raymond, Phillip C

Watson, Jack B

The following 1st lieutenants were ordered from Overseas to Inactive Duty:

Bell, Roy L

Bertheau, Franklin R

Best, Edgar N

Bracken, John C

Bridley, Jas J

Brown, Harry W, Jr

Cahill, Edward F

Carroll, John F, Jr

Connell, James R

Crawford, Wm J

Crncl, Daniel M

Delaney, John P

Dove, David R

Dundon, Paul E

Eastman, Robt J

Ernst, Alfred R

Flaherty, Paul M

Fratesi, Richard

Giglio, Joseph J

Hart, Henry J

Hatzilambrou, L

Heintzelman, John E

Henry, Thos G

Herbst, Richard W

Hodgins, Robt A

Holt, Thos J

Hopkins, John, Jr

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Kiernan, Francis R

Krass, Edw S

Lane, Lester D, Jr

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McCarthy, Edw T

Nugent, Richard E

O'Brien, Joseph G

O'Connell, Wm J

Picciione, Jas M

Pratt, John A, Jr

Reich, Peter B

Rush, Richard S, Jr

Ryan, Edw C

Ryan, John P

Shea, Terrence J

Shore, Sumner A

Smale, Russell S

Stanford, Stanley L

Stewart, Daniel C

Stritzinger, Robt J

Sutphin, Robt C

Thompson, Wm D, Jr

Tiago, Joseph L, Jr

Twyman, Gayle F

Veasley, John E

Volin, Martin L

Vukelich, John J

2d Lieutenant

The 2d lieutenants listed below were ordered from Overseas to Inactive Duty:

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Jacob, Chas H, Jr

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ALLIN—Born at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 22 Apr, to Lt Col and Mrs George R Allin, a daughter.

ALTHOUSE—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 17 Apr, to 2d Lt and Mrs Howard W Althouse, a daughter, Cheryl Denise.

ANDERSON—Born at Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 22 Mar, to 1st Lt and Mrs Paul Franklin Anderson, a daughter, Donna Lynn.

ANGLIN—Born at La Rochelle, France, 6 Apr, to Sfc and Mrs Kenneth Anglin, a son, Don Wade.

ANTHONY—Born at Orleans, France, 16 Apr, to SFC and Mrs Bennie Anthony, a son, Vincent Byron.

BARBOUR—Born at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 22 Apr, to 2d Lt and Mrs Edward J Barbour, a son.

BARR—Born at Ft Ord, Calif, 12 Apr, to 2d Lt and Mrs Richard D Barr, a daughter, Denise Lyn.

BAUERLEIN—Born at Ft Eustis, Va, 16 Apr, to Lt and Mrs Leo P Bauerlein, a son.

BEADY—Born at Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 10 Apr, to Maj and Mrs Joseph T Beady, a son, Patrick Joseph.

BERKOW—Born at Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 13 Apr, to Capt and Mrs Robert Berkow, a son, Michael.

BOLTON—Born at Scott AFB, Ill, 18 Apr, to Capt and Mrs Otto Bolton, Jr, a daughter, Donna Renea.

BONNER—Born at Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 27 Mar, to Maj and Mrs Douglas William Bonner, a daughter, Pamela Jane.

BOWDEN—Born at Cp Killmer, NJ, 22 Apr, to WO and Mrs Richard Bowden, a daughter.

BOWER—Born at Scott AFB, Ill, 17 Apr, to Capt and Mrs David W Bower, a daughter, Rita Ann.

BRAMLETT—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 20 Apr, to 2d Lt and Mrs James T Bramlett, a son, James Timothy, 2d.

BROOKING—Born at Sherman, Tex, 8 Apr, to Col and Mrs George R Brooking, a son, Robert Ennals, grandson of Brig Gen, (USA, Ret) and Mrs H A Barber, Jr, of Winter Park, Fla.

BROWN—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 11 Apr, to T/Sgt and Mrs Thomas E Brown, a son, Barry Jay.

BURKE—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 9 Apr, to Capt and Mrs Robert F Burke, a daughter, Shannon McCabe.

BUSBEE—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va, 17 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs John T Busbee, their third child, a son, Jeffrey Charles, grandson of Brig Gen (USA, Ret) and Mrs Charles M Busbee of Alexandria, Va, and of Mr and Mrs Karl W Kneen of Winfield, Iowa.

BUTO—Born at Osaka, Honshu, Japan, 11 Apr, to Maj and Mrs Junichi Buto, a son, Arthur J.

CALDRON—Born at Rodriguez AF, Ft Brooke, PR, 16 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Eduardo Caldron, a daughter, Margarita.

CALDWELL—Born at Ft Jackson, SC, 15 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs James K Caldwell, a daughter.

CALDWELL—Born at Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 9 Apr, to Capt and Mrs Richard T Caldwell, a daughter, Stephanie Lynne.

CAMP—Born at Ladd AFB, Alaska, 15 Apr, to 2d Lt and Mrs Virgil Hugh Camp, a daughter, Leslie Anne.

CELIKEL—Born at Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 17 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Kenan Celikel, a son, Turgey Huseyin.

CHAMEY—Born at Cp Chaffee, Ark, 16 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Eugene Chamey, a son.

CHAPMAN—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 11 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Alan T Chapman, Jr, a son, Glen Alan.

CHAPMAN—Born at Heidelberg, Germany, 8 Apr, to SFC and Mrs Melvin John Chapman, a daughter.

CHASE—Born at Ladd AFB, Alaska, 17 Apr, to T/Sgt and Mrs Eldon L Chase, a son, Eldon David.

CHURCH—Born at Ladd AFB, Alaska, 14 Apr, to M/Sgt and Mrs Leo Gene Church, a son, John Douglas.

CLANCY—Born at Quantico, Va, 23 Apr, to 2d Lt and Mrs Perry Clancy, a daughter.

CLARK—Born at Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 9 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Emery O Clark, Jr, a daughter, Cyle.

CLEARY—Born at Heidelberg, Germany, 5 Apr, to Lt Col and Mrs Thomas James Cleary, Jr, a daughter, Anne Regina.

COLLINS—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 7 Apr, to Capt and Mrs Paul J Collins, a daughter, Andrea.

COLVILLE—Born at West Point, NY, 18 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Warren R Colville, a son, John Martin.

COX—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 8 Apr, to S/Sgt and Mrs Wayne W Cox, a son, Darryl Robert.

CROSBY—Born at Ft Ord, Calif, 11 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs John W Crosby, Jr, a daughter, Loraine Ellen.

CROSBY—Born at Ft Richardson, Alaska, 29 Mar, to Lt Col and Mrs Ralph D Crosby, a son, Peter Anthony.

CROW—Born at Heidelberg, Germany, 4 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Robert Samuel Crow, a daughter, Amy Elizabeth.

DAVIS—Born at La Rochelle, France, 10 Apr, to Sfc and Mrs Charles Davis, a daughter, Katherine Ann.

DEAS—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 11 Apr, to Capt and Mrs John Deas, a son, Roderick Graham.

DESMOND—Born at Ladd AFB, Alaska, 18 Apr, to SFC and Mrs Andrew Thomas Desmond, a daughter, Patricia Ann.

DILL—Born at Ft Meade, Md, 18 Apr, to CWO and Mrs Jerry L Dill, a son.

DOMBKOWSKI—Born at Ft Dix, NJ, 12 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Henry Dombkowski, a daughter, Sharon Louise.

DOWNING—Born at Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 11 Apr, to CWO and Mrs Leeland A Downing, a daughter, Margaret Lynne.

DUNN—Born at Cp Stewart, Ga, 17 Apr, to Capt and Mrs Stephen F Dunn, a daughter.

ECKES—Born at Heidelberg, Germany, 12 Apr, to SFC and Mrs James Harold Eckes, a daughter, Jaimy Lyn.

ENGLISH—Born at Osaka, Honshu, Japan, 15 Apr, to Sfc and Mrs Theodore H English, a daughter, Janice E.

FENNESSY—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 9 Apr, to T/Sgt and Mrs William M Fennessy, a son, Timothy.

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FISCHER—Born at Wurzburg, Germany, 8 Apr, to Lt Col and Mrs Frank O Fischer, a daughter, Joyce Lynn.

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GRIFFITH—Born at Ft Jackson, SC, 19 Apr, to Lt and Mrs Edwin R Griffith, a daughter.

HALL—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 10 Apr, to S/Sgt and Mrs Robert A Hall, a son, Leslie Albert.

HALLORAN—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 10 Apr, to Col and Mrs Robert P Halloran, a daughter, Ann Elizabeth.

HAUCK—Born at West Point, NY, 19 Apr, to Capt and Mrs Wayne O Hauck, Jr, a son, Wayne Otis, III.

HAWKINS—Born at Heidelberg, Germany, 5 Apr, to SFC and Mrs Marvin A Hawkins, a son, Kenneth Ray.

HECK—Born at Scott AFB, Ill, 21 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs James B Heck, a daughter, Judith Lynn.

HENDRICKSON—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 7 Apr, to M/Sgt and Mrs James W Hendrickson, a daughter, Sharon Ann.

HEREDIA—Born at Ft Meade, Md, 20 Apr, to Lt and Mrs Matty Heredia, a daughter.

HOBBS—Born at Quantico, Va, 19 Apr, to 2d Lt and Mrs Edward Hobbs, a daughter, Ellen Mary.

HOLZWORTH—Born at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 21 Apr, to Capt and Mrs Robert H Holzworth, a son.

HOWARD—Born at Ft Ord, Calif, 11 Apr, to Capt and Mrs Robert Howard, a daughter, Barbara Ruth.

HOYEM—Born at Ft Ord, Calif, 14 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs George A Hoyem, a daughter.

JACQUAY—Born at Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 25 Mar, to 1st Lt and Mrs Louis H Jacquier, a son, Jeffrey Robert.

JAHNS—Born at Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 1 Apr, to Capt and Mrs Donald William Jahns, a son, Patrick Douglas.

JANTZEN—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 9 Apr, to Col and Mrs Charles D Jantzen, a daughter, Sally Anne.

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JOHNSON—Born at Heidelberg, Germany, 3 Apr, to SFC and Mrs Claudie L Johnson, a son, Bobby Alvin.

JONES—Born at Ft Jackson, SC, 13 Apr, to Lt Col and Mrs Charles W Jones, a son.

JONES—Born at Orleans, France, 14 Apr, to Sfc and Mrs Jess Jones, a son, Donald Louis.

JORDAN—Born at Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 8 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Steve Jordan, a son, Steve, III.

KANE—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 10 Apr, to M/Sgt and Mrs Paul J Kane, a son, Patrick Matthew.

KASCHT—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 11 Apr, to Capt and Mrs Robert L Kascht, a son, Stephen John.

KENNON—Born at Ft Richardson, Alaska, 5 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Charles L Kennon, Jr, a son, Charles Lester, III.

KING—Born at West Point, NY, 19 Apr, to 2d Lt and Mrs Charles G King, a daughter, Kathryn Lorraine.

KIRK—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 19 Apr, to 2d Lt and Mrs Adel Kirk, a son, Werdel.

KRAWCHUK—Born at Ft Jackson, SC, 13 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Myron Krawchuk, a son.

LAVERY—Born at Valley Forge AH, Phoenixville, Pa, 11 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Robert E Lavery, a son.

LECHNER—Born at La Rochelle, France, 12 Apr, to M/Sgt and Mrs Richard Lechner, a daughter, Carolyn Lou.

LILLEHEI—Born at Walter Reed AH, 21 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Richard C Lillehei, a son.

LORD—Born at Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 11 Apr, to Capt and Mrs Henry E Lord, a daughter, Katherine Louise.

LUCHT—Born at Quantico, Va, 23 Apr, to CWO and Mrs Robert Lucht, a son.

LUNDE—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 16 Apr, to Col and Mrs Oswald W Lunde, a son.

MAGALLANES—Born at Ft Eustis, Va, 15 Apr, to Lt and Mrs Raymond D Magallanes, a daughter.

MATEJOV—Born at Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 24 Mar, to Capt and Mrs Stephen Andrew Matejov, a daughter, Catherine.

MAUTERER—Born at Ft Dix, NJ, 14 Apr, to Capt and Mrs Oscar Mauterer, a son, Randall Erwin.

McCANN—Born at Scott AFB, Ill, 11 Apr, to 2d Lt and Mrs Clinton A McCann, a son, Jerome Lynn.

McCARTY—Born at Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 16 Apr, to Capt and Mrs James E McCarty, a daughter.

McGRATH—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 6 Apr, to Maj and Mrs Thomas J McGrath, a daughter, Colleen.

MERRILL—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 11 Apr, to 2d Lt and Mrs John P Merrill, a son, Kenneth Raymond.

MICHEL—Born at Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 29 Mar, to 1st Lt and Mrs James Arthur Michel, a son, Jeffrey Phillip.

MILLER—Born at Valley Forge AH, Phoenixville, Pa, 12 Apr, to Capt and Mrs John M Miller, a daughter.

MOORE—Born at Scott AFB, Ill, 15 Apr, to Capt and Mrs Robert J Moore, a son, Richard William.

MOTEN—Born at Vance AFB, Okla, 9 Apr, to A/1C and Mrs James Moten, a daughter, Janet Dolores.

MULLEN—Born at Heidelberg, Germany, 6 Apr, to M/Sgt and Mrs Daniel Francis Mullen, a daughter, Sandra Lynn.

MULLER—Born at Quantico, Va, 24 Apr, to Lt Col and Mrs William Muller, a son.

NEILL—Born at Bremerhaven, Germany, 8 Apr, to CWO and Mrs Eugene P Neill, a son, Michael Douglas.

NEWTON—Born at Ft Knox, Ky, 17 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs John F Newton, a son, Lawrence Read.

Births

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VON MELKER—Born at Ft Jackson, SC, 16 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs R A Van Melker, a daughter.

WALKER—Born at Heidelberg, Germany, 8 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Earl Bartlett Walker, Jr, a son, Michael Lee.

WARD—Born at Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 31 Mar, to 2d Lt and Mrs James Lowell Ward, Jr, a daughter, Deborah Elizabeth.

WATSON—Born at Scott AFB, Ill, 11 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Jerry F Watson, a daughter, Jerrie Lynn.

WEBB—Born at Heidelberg, Germany, 6 Apr, to Sfc and Mrs James Willard Webb, a daughter, Vicki Lynne.

WHITE—Born at Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 30 Mar, to Capt and Mrs James R White, a son, John Stone.

WHITE—Born at Brooke AH, Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 11 Apr, to 2d Lt and Mrs Joseph White, a son, John Michael.

WHITE—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 12 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Vilbry H White, twin daughters, Jan Marie and Lessa Carol.

WILLIAMS—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala, 16 Apr, to Maj and Mrs James F Williams, a son.

WILMOT—Born at Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 30 Mar, to Capt and Mrs Fred Woodlin Wilmot, a daughter, Elaine Wynn.

WINBERG—Born at Quantico, Va, 23 Apr, to 2d Lt and Mrs William Winberg, a son.

WINKFIELD—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 23 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Stetson C Winkfield, a son.

WOLF—Born at Ft Jackson, SC, 15 Apr, to 2d Lt and Mrs Paul H Wolf, a daughter.

WRIGHT—Born at Heidelberg, Germany, 8 Apr, to SFC and Mrs George C Wright, sr, a daughter, Linda Marilyn.

WRIGHT—Born at Wiesbaden, Germany, 10 Apr, to M/Sgt and Mrs Robert D Wright, a daughter, Janice Marie.

WYATT—Born at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 18 Apr, to 2d Lt and Mrs Floyd M Wyatt, a daughter.

WYNNE—Born at Heidelberg, Germany, 8 Apr, to SFC and Mrs Collie O Wynne, a daughter, Virginia Colleen.

YATES—Born at Verdun, France, 17 Apr, to Sfc and Mrs Dalton J Yates, a son, Robert Lee.

YOUNG—Born at Ft Bragg, NC, 9 Apr, to Capt and Mrs William E Young, a son, William Jarrell.

ZAROSI—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 22 Apr, to 1st Lt and Mrs Robert W Zarosi, a son.

Married

ANDREWS-FULLER—Married at the Post Chapel, Ft McPherson, Ga, 19 Apr, Mrs Virginia Cartey Fuller, daughter of Mr & Mrs E T Cartey, and Col Charles Leon Andrews, son of Mr & Mrs L J Andrews of Glendale, Calif.

BERNARD-CHRIST—Married at Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, Manhasset, LI, NY, 23 Apr, Miss Charlotte Elizabeth Christ, daughter of State Supreme Court Justice & Mrs Marcus G Christ of New Hyde Park, NY, and Lt Edward Paul Bernard, Jr, USAF.

COATES-EJK—Married at the Sacred Heart Church, South Plainfield, NJ, 16 Apr, Miss Margaret Ejk, daughter of Mr & Mrs J Ejk of South Plainfield, and Lt James F Coates, son of Mrs Evelyn Coates of Rochester, NY.

COLE-CARMICHAEL—Married at the US Navy Chapel, Washington, DC, 23 Apr, Miss Joan Carmichael, daughter of Mr & Mrs James H Carmichael of Leesburg, Va, and Ens Thomas E Cole, son of Mr & Mrs W Sterling Cole of Bath, NY.

EIDSNESS-HILL—Married at St Mary's Catholic Church, Little Falls, NY, 23 Apr, Miss Doris Natalie Hill, daughter of Mr & Mrs Leland K Hill of Little Falls, and Lt George W Eidsness, USN, son of the late Mr & Mrs Lars M Eidsness of Washington, DC.

HUBBARD-LOUGHIN—Married at the Mary Immaculate Roman Catholic Church, Bellport, LI, NY, 23 Apr, Miss Madge Loughlin, daughter of Mr & Mrs Edward V Loughlin, and Lt Robert Mack Hubbard, CE, USA, son of Mrs Elwyn Hubbard of Springfield, Mass, & the late Mr Hubbard.

HUNINGHAKE-COONY—Married at the Catholic Chapel, Ft Benj Harrison, Ind, 16 Apr, Miss Anne Katherine Coony, daughter of Lt Col & Mrs Thomas E Coony of Ft Harrison, and Lt Thomas Francis Huninghake, son of Mr & Mrs Frank Huninghake of Cincinnati, O.

LEAHAN-ALBRECHT—Married at St Augustine's Roman Catholic Church, Larchmont, NY, 23 Apr, Miss Christine Anne Albrecht, daughter of Mr & Mrs William Christian Albrecht of Ft Lauderdale, Fla, and Ens Michael James Leahen, USN, son of Mrs Richard Leahen of New Rochelle, NY, & the late Mr Leahen.

MALONE-DODGE—Married at the First Congregational Church, Chappaqua, NY, 23 Apr, Miss Alison Davis Dodge, daughter of Mr & Mrs Robert I Dodge, Jr, of Chappaqua, and Capt William R Malone, Jr, USAF, son of Mr & Mrs Malone of Seattle, Wash.

MARTIN-McGUIRE—Married at St Margaret's Episcopal Church, Washington, DC, 16 Apr, Mrs John G McGuire, 3d, daughter of Capt (USN) & Mrs Jesse Clyburn Sowell, and Mr William Henry Martin, son of Mr Richard A Martin of Bangor, Me, and Mrs Avis Martin.

OVERFELT-DENNING—Married at the Post Chapel, Ft Myer, Va, 15 Apr, 1st Lt Emma A Denning, (AFNC), USAF, daughter of the late Mr & Mrs William A Denning of Jones-town, Pa, and 1st Lt Clifford D Overfelt, Jr, USAF, son of Colonel (USA-Ret) & Mrs Overfelt of Auxvassie, Mo, and Daytona Beach, Fla.

PIERCY-SANDMER—Married at the Fenelon Chapel, LaRochelle, France, 23 Apr, Miss Edeltraud Sandmer of Munich, Germany, and 1st Lt John P Piercy, son of Mr & Mrs Philip H Piercy of Pacific Grove, Calif.

PLATT-HOPTON—Married recently, Miss Sally Hopton, daughter of Mr & Mrs Whitman Winchell Hopton of LaSalle, Ill, and Lt (Jg) Grafton Steele Platt, USN, son of RAdm & Mrs C Benedict Platt of Chevy Chase, Md.

RICHARDSON-SIMONDS—Married at the home of her grandparents, Mr & Mrs Stanley T Ray, San Diego, Calif, 21 Apr, Mrs Jeanne McHugh Simonds, daughter of Capt and Mrs William Bristol McHugh, and Capt David Charles Richardson, USN, son of the late Mr Istah Richardson of Meridian, Miss, and Mrs Richardson of Washington, DC.

SERVICE-GUSTAFSON—Married at All Saints Episcopal Church, Corpus Christi, Tex, 15 Apr, Mrs Natalie Harpster Gustafson, daughter of Dr & Mrs Alton J Harpster of San Diego, Calif, and widow of Lt (Jg) C Earl Gustafson, USNR, and Lt (Jg) James Edward Service, USNR, son of Mr & Mrs Bruce Edward Service of Huntington Valley, Pa.

SMITH-STENHOUSE—Married at St Stephen's Church, Goldsboro, NC, 23 Apr, Miss Mary Cleaves Stenhouse, daughter of Dr & Mrs Henry Merritt Stenhouse of Goldsboro, and LCdr Emory Parker Smith, USN, son of Mr C Wallace Smith of Portsmouth, Va, and the late Mrs Smith.

STEADMAN-BAILEY—Married at St Mary's Catholic Church, Landover Hills, Md, 16 Apr, Miss Mildred Ann Bailey, daughter of Mr & Mrs T B Bailey, Jr, of Woodlawn, Hyattsville, Md, and Mr Frank M Steadman, Jr, son of Colonel & Mrs Steadman of Arlington, Va.

STORRS-WEBB—Married at the Post Chapel, Camp Losey, PR, 11 Apr, Miss Doris Joan Webb, daughter of Mr & Mrs C Charles Bushang of Elkhart, Ind, and 2d Lt Charles E Storrs, son of Mr & Mrs Hulbert Howard of Bergen, NY.

VAN HORNE-TATE—Married at St Matthew's Cathedral, Washington, DC, 31 Dec, Miss Joan Tate, daughter of Mrs Parker Tate of Arlington, Va, & Brig Gen F J Tate, USA-Ret, of Royal Oak, Md, and Mr Edwin James Van Horne, Jr, son of Colonel Van Horne, USA-Ret, of Alexandria, Va.

WAGNER-COUTURE—Married at the MCRD Chapel, San Diego, Calif, 16 Apr, Miss Therese Couture, daughter of Mr & Mrs Joseph T Couture of Bay City, Mich, and Lt Douglas A Wagner, USMC, son of Mrs Anna Wagner of Houston, Tex, and Mr Leonard Wagner of Abilene, Tex.

Died

BECKWITH—Died 23 Apr, CWO Harold Beckwith, USA-Ret. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Gladys G Beckwith of 2729 Bradley Cir, Falls Church, Va; one daughter, Mrs Joseph H Helker; and one son, James H Beckwith. Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery.

BEDFORD—Died at USNH, San Diego, Calif, 14 Apr, Lt Thomas A Bedford, USN, 36, after a month's illness. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Regina Bedford; two daughters, Kathline and Maureen Bedford; and one son, Thomas.

BLOXSON—Died at Portsmouth, NH, 4 Mar, Col Charles E Bloxson, Ret.

BRAMSTEDT—Died at Los Altos, Calif, 17 Apr, Lt Col William Bramstedt, USA-Ret. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Ruth B Galmaire of Fresno, Calif; one son, W F Bramstedt of New York; and two grandchildren.

BROWN—Died at Kansas City, Mo, 5 Apr, CWO Henry L Brown.

BROWN—Died at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 21 Apr, Lt Col Kilburn Roby Brown, Ret, 61, former Public Information Officer for the Manhattan District, during the development of the atomic bomb, and later with the Office of the Chief of Information. D/A. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Kathryn Brown of 510 Cameron St, Alexandria, Va; and one daughter, Mother Judith Ann Brown of the Society of the Sacred Heart, Greenwich, Conn. A son, Lt Frederick Anson Brown, an Air Force bombardier, was killed over France in 1944. Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery.

CARR—Died at San Francisco, Calif, 8 Apr, Capt Josephine K Carr, ANC.

DALEY—Died of a sudden series of heart attacks at USAFH, Wheelus Fld, Tripoli, 23 Apr, Col Edmund K Daley, USA, (USMA '28), 47, Office of Chief of Engineers of the Army, while making the annual inspection tour of the Corps of Engineers in the Mediterranean. He is survived by his father, Maj Gen Edmund L Daley, USA-Ret, of Albany, NY; his widow, Mrs Elizabeth Daley of 1110 N Lexington St, Arlington, Va; one son, Lt Edmund K Daley, Jr, of Ft Dix, NJ; a daughter, Miss Beatrice Daley; and two brothers, Brig Gen John P Daley of 1830 N Patrick Henry Dr, Arlington, and Mr Donald M Daley of Cleveland, O.

DONOVAN—Died at Emergency Hosp, Washington, DC, 18 Apr, Mrs Virginia F Donovan, widow of Maj Albert C Donovan, USA. She is survived by two sons, Mr Frank D Donovan of San Jose, Calif, and Mr Richard F Donovan of Washington; and her father, Mr Frank D Freeman. Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery.

FRASER—Died at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 20 Apr, Mrs Mary M Fraser, wife of Lt Col Alexander G Fraser, Army Advisor to the 50th Armored Div, NJ National Guard, Orange, NJ. In addition to her husband, she is survived by one son, Ian Fraser, 12.

GOMEZ—Died in the Philippine Islands, 5 Apr, Col Victor Z Gomez, USA-Ret.

HARPER—Died at Des Moines, Iowa, 25 Feb, 1st Lt Clay O Harper, Ret.

HARRINGTON—Died at Boston, Mass, 23 Mar, Col John M Harrington, Ret.

HART—Died at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 22 Apr, Col Harry Lee Hart, USA-Ret, 62. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Marguerite D Hart of 3904 Madison St, Hyattsville, Md; and two sons, Cadet Rufus R Hart, USMA, and Harry C Hart, a student in San Francisco, Calif. Interment was at Arlington National Cemetery.

HEALE—Died at Garfield Memorial Hosp, Washington, DC, 24 Apr, Lt Col William J Heale, USA-Ret, 52. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Dorothy Jost Heale of 6601 Eastern Ave, Takoma Park, Md. Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery.

ISON—Died in Japan, 14 Apr, 1st Lt Marvin Ison, AUS.

KENNEDY—Died at Holliston, Mass, 15 Apr, Mrs Sara J Kennedy, mother of Col Allan J Kennedy, USA-Ret, 122 Babcock St, Brookline, Mass. In addition to her son, she is survived by two other sons, the Reverend Thomas H Kennedy of Needham, Mass, and Mr Francis P Kennedy, Holliston.

KNIERIN—Died at San Francisco, Calif, 7 Apr, Capt Margaret Knierin, ANC-Ret.

LINKEY—Died at Minneapolis, Minn, 11 Feb, Maj Harold D Linkey, Ret.

LUTHER—Died at Waterville, Minn, 2 Feb, Capt William F Luther, Ret.

MADDUX—Died at Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 20 Feb, 1st Lt Aubrey B Maddux, Ret.

McGRIFF—Died at Omaha, Nebr, 8 Feb, Capt Harry McGriff, Ret.

MCLEAN—Died at his home at Annapolis, Md, 21 Apr, Cdr Hugh B McLean, USN-Ret, 54. He is survived by his widow, three sons and a daughter.

MCNEESE—Died at Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 26 Feb, 1st Lt Charles H McNeese, Ret.

MILLER—Died at his home at Berkeley, Calif, 19 Apr, RAdm Christopher Miller, USN-Ret, (USNA '18), 58, former Chief of the Navy's Mine Warfare Section.

NEILL—Died at Ft Sam Houston, Tex, 8 Apr, Lt Col Gilbert W Neill, Ret.

ROOS—Died at Little Rock, Ark, 28 Mar, Maj Guy A Roos, Ret.

SCHNEIDER—Died at USNH, San Diego, Calif, 13 Apr, Capt Wilbert John Schneider, DC USN-Ret, 54. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Lucille H Schneider of 4439 Via Pinzon Estates, Palos Verdes, Calif.

SNYDER—Died at St Albans, LI, NY, 7 Apr, Lt Col Frederick E Snyder, USA-Ret.

TURNER—Died at Roanoke, Va, 2 Feb, 1st Lt Andrew M Turner, Ret.

VALCOURT—Died at Bergenfield, NJ, 26 Mar, Lt Col John Valcourt, Jr.

WADE—Died at USAFH, Bolling AFB, DC, 15 Apr, Lt Col Hugh P Wade. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Georgette Wade of 217 N Barton St, Arlington, Va; and two children, Gregory and Linda Wade. Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery.

WALK—Died 22 Apr, Mrs Elsie Roberts Walk, widow of Brig Gen Arthur R Walk, USA. She is survived by two sons, Richard D Walk of Ithaca, NY, and Capt James F Walk of Ft Ord, Calif; one daughter, Mrs Frank G Sheviak of Ft Bragg, NC; and three grandchildren. Burial was at Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, DC.

Obituary

Lt. Col. Kilburn R. Brown, USA-Ret.

Funeral services for Lt. Col. Kilburn Roby Brown, USA-Ret, 61, who died 21

April at Walter Reed AH after a long illness, were held 25 April in the Ft. Myer Chapel. Burial was in Arlington National Cemetery.

Colonel Brown, 510 Cameron St, Alexandria, Va., entered the Service from Chicago in 1917. He was commissioned in the Regular Army as a second lieutenant, Infantry. He served with the 3rd Battalion, 61st Infantry Regiment, 5th Infantry Division as a lieutenant and later as a captain and company commander, until he was permanently injured. He was retired for injuries in 1919.

On 26 November, 1921, he was married to Kathryn Keirnan in Chicago.

During his retirement between wars, Col. Brown was engaged in the advertising business in New York.

Recalled from retirement in August 1942, he served with the Manhattan District, as Public Information Officer for Lt. Gen. Leslie Groves, USA-Ret., and Maj. Gen. Kenneth D. Nichols, USA-Ret. He set up and operated the public information activities for the Manhattan Project, with headquarters at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

In June 1945, he was assigned to the personal staff of General Groves in Washington, D. C., where he served until 16 Aug., 1945. He was then made Director of the Public Relations Office of Foreign Liquidation Commission. Here he served as a representative of the State Department and acted as Public Information Officer for this agency which was handling the disposal of surplus war materiel, with station in the Philippines Islands.

In April 1946 he returned to Washington, D. C., where he was instrumental in setting up the News and Analysis Branch, Office of Chief of Information, Department of the Army.

He served in that capacity until 28 Feb. 1955, at which time he was retired again.

Surviving are his widow, a daughter, Mother Judith Ann Brown, Religious Society of the Sacred Heart, Greenwich, Conn.; and a sister, Mary Lois, wife of Mr. Keehn W. Berry, New York, La.

Colonel and Mrs. Brown had two sons, now deceased. One died in infancy and the other was the late Lt. Frederick Anson Brown, bombardier with the 8th Air Force on a mission from England over France, killed 15 April.

Honorary pall bearers included General Charles L. Bolte, Vice Chief of Staff, USA: Lt. Gen. Floyd L. Parks, Commanding General, 2nd Army, Fort Meade, Md.; Maj. Gen. Gilman C. Mudgett, Chief of Information and Education, Department of Army; Maj. Gen. K. D. Nichols, USA (Ret); Brig. Gen. George V. W. Pope, USA (Ret); Brig. Gen. Don C. Faith, USA (Ret); Col. Cecil J. Gridley, USA (Ret); Col. Westray E. Wilson; Mr. Philippe G. Jacques; Mr. Keven McCann, Special Assistant to the President of the United States; Mr. William P. McCracken, Jr.; Mr. A. Coster Schermerhorn; Judge Richard Mitchell; Capt. T. R. Mittman, Public Information Officer, Camp Kilmer, N. J.; Lt. Col. Charles W. Hinkle; Col. John V. Hinkle; Dr. Guy F. Sutton, Jr.; Mr. Ross Langdon; Mr. John E. Wordon, Jr., Public Information Officer, Walter Reed Army Medical Center; Mr. John M. Frier; Maj. Raymond L. Hauck, and Mr. Martin Burden.

Veterans Records Center

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Records of former military personnel will be centralized at a new center which is being built at St. Louis, Mo., for completion in October.

The Department of Defense Military Personnel Records Center will be a six-story building covering the equivalent of three city blocks. It will cost \$12½-million.

When completed, Navy and Marine Corps personnel records, now housed at the Naval Records Management Center, N. Y., and the records of former Army and Air Force personnel, now filed at the Army's Military Personnel Records Center, St. Louis, will be centralized in the new building. The center will offer more efficient and expeditious service to former service members and their benefactors, the Veterans Administration and other organizations concerned with veterans' affairs.

Col. Whitney to ConAD

Col. Robert Whitney, veteran of WW I and II, has reported to Continental Air Defense headquarters at Colorado Springs, Colo., where he will serve as liaison officer for the Federal Civil Defense Administration.

Colonel Whitney, who was commissioned in Paris in 1917, served 40 months overseas during WW II as an intelligence officer with various air units in the Mediterranean Theatre. In civilian life he was an industrial analyst.

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Ramjet Engines Largest 1954 Marquardt Project

Marquardt Aircraft Company grossed \$9,923,500 during 1954, 12 per cent more than during the previous year. Net earnings after taxes were \$263,500, up 65 per cent from 1953, a company report showed this week.

Marquardt's largest single project covered the development and manufacture of ramjet powerplants for a long-range guided missile. The company recently received orders from other sources which is expected to lead to additional applications for the ramjet engine.

Marquardt's annual report to stockholders stated that 73 per cent of the company's business came from ramjet development. In addition, sales revenue was derived from afterburners and exhaust nozzles for turbo-jet engines, ram air power drives for aircraft and turbojet engine controls, and the balance from the production of aircraft parts built to specific customer design.

PRAISE MAJ. HART

Maj. Robert H. Hart, USA, of the Office Chief of Army Transportation, has won praise from Defense Department officials for his work in connection with adjustment of rates for rail transportation of Army tractor tanks.

Director of Transportation and Communications Earl B. Smith of the Office of Assistant Defense Secretary Thomas P. Pike, Supply and Logistics, said the Army will save \$3,356,296 per year as a result of the negotiations. He said Major Hart and his associates were commended by Mr. J. G. Kerr, chairman of the Southern Freight Association.

Procurement Posts

Col. Dean K. Givan, USAF, and Lt. Col. Arthur C. Quattlebaum, USAF, have been assigned to Robins AFB, Ga. Colonel Givan will serve as Assistant for Depot Maintenance in the Maintenance Engineering Directorate. Colonel Quattlebaum was named Chief of the Materiel Control Division Supply and Services Directorate.

Col. Richard D. White, USAF, has been named director of Procurement and Production for the Oklahoma City Air Materiel Area at Tinker AFB. He formerly was chief of the Newark Air Procurement and Production at Olmstead AFB, Pa.

Col. Jaromir J. Pospisil, USA, has been assigned to replace Col. Curtis Miller, USA, as post quartermaster at Ft. Carson, Colo. Colonel Pospisil served briefly as chief of Carson's Trainee Processing Center after arriving at the Colorado post last fall from Germany where he was Chief of Procurement for the U. S. Army in Europe.

Maj. Joseph Leon Juskowiak, USA, has been appointed Post Quartermaster at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., succeeding Lt. Col. Coy W. Baldwin, USA, who will become Quartermaster of the Third Armored Division at Ft. Knox, Ky.

Naval Research Ass't Joins Hoffman Lab

Announcement of the appointment of Lt. Comdr. William R. Bush, USNR, to the new post of assistant general sales manager, Hoffman Laboratories, Inc., has been made by John B. Moss, president.

For the past three years Commander Bush has been staff assistant to the Chief of Naval Research as special devices center liaison. From 1950-52 he was management engineer on the Chief of Naval Operations' management staff. During World War II, he served as a Navy pilot, and now holds a commission as Lt. Comdr. in the reserves. In his new assignment, he will be responsible for coordinating all phases of the company's electronic sales activities.

Mr. Bush will be at the company's home office, 3761 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, Calif.

Armament Expert Joins Avco Crosley Div.

John C. Christian, formerly chief, armament staff unit, Boeing Airplane Company, has joined Crosley Division, Avco Manufacturing Corporation, as manager of plans and programs for the defense operations.

The announcement of Mr. Christian's appointment was made by Donald B. Nason, director of engineering, Crosley Government Products Division. Mr. Christian will be responsible for planning and programming all activities directed toward future requirements of the military services covering land, sea and air equipments. Mr. Christian will make his headquarters at Crosley's plant in Evendale, Ohio.

Lt. Brown, USNR, Joins Vitro

Lt. Ralph L. Brown, USNR, has been made a director of industrial sales of Vitro Engineering Division, New York City, a division of Vitro Corporation of America.

A chemical engineering graduate of Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, 1947, he served with the Amphibious Forces of the Navy during WW II.

Single Set Of Contract Cost Rules Gains Favor

Although the memo released with the proposed new cost allowance principles stated that the new rules would apply only to cost reimbursement contracts, many officials in the Pentagon and accounting organization believe one set of contract cost rules should serve all purposes.

They assert it would simplify paperwork if used as a working guide in contract negotiation and should be legally binding for all types of contracts.

Martin Increases Shares

The Annual Meeting of Stockholders of The Glenn L. Martin Company was held 25 April at the Company offices, Middle River, Md. The stockholders approved the proposed amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation to increase the authorized number of capital shares of stock from 3,000,000 to 6,000,000, and re-elected the Directors whose terms expired.

Changes In Procurement Procedures Urged By GAO On Basis Of 2-Year Study

A two-year survey of the procurement practices of the Army Ordnance Corps has been completed by the General Accounting Office and forwarded to Congress and Secretary Stevens of the Army. In an accompanying letter dated 15 Apr., Comptroller General Campbell states that the survey covered 700 ordnance contracts totaling 9.7 billion dollars.

The GAO points out that there are three sets of regulations governing ordnance contracts. These are the Armed Services Procurement Regulations (ASPR), the Army Procurement Procedure (APP), and the Ordnance Procurement Instruction (OPI). In addition, there are Dept. of Defense Directives, Dept. of Defense Instructions, Army Procurement Circulars, Ordnance Corps Technical Instructions, Ordnance Corps Orders, Ordnance Corps Pamphlets, and Ordnance Corps Manuals.

Even these "various layers of procurement regulations" do not adequately cover price redetermination contracts and this has resulted in "very extensive misuse" of this type of contract, the report charges. No provision has been made for the use of incentive type contracts and this, the GAO alleges, represents an unwarranted deviation from Defense procurement policies.

While detailed criticism is made throughout the report it is summarized in the following excerpt:

"The primary purpose of this report is to make recommendations on significant matters which, in our opinion, require consideration by the Secretary of Defense or the Secretary of the Army (for Army and Ordnance matters) to strengthen procurement procedures in relation to present practices. In support of these recommendations we have included comment on the more important areas of our findings, which relate principally to:

1. Questionable contracting practices, such as misuse of price redetermination contracts, use of unlimited upward price revision, price redetermination after completion of performance, and cost-plus-a-percentage-of-cost subcontracting.

2. Weaknesses in negotiation and award procedures, such as the shifting of negotiation responsibility between field offices, ineffective negotiation with large contractors, and inconsistent treatment of profit on facility-type charges in production contracts.

3. Inadequate defense-wide procurement regulations, and the multiple layers of "implementing" procedures and instructions.

4. Lack of recognized cost principles and audit guides applicable to price redetermination contracts.

5. Ineffective liaison between contracting and audit representatives.

6. Unrealistic contract delivery schedules.

7. Failure to obtain license rights to reproduce items developed under Government research and development contracts.

8. Excessive cost of steel procured by shell contractors.

"It is recognized that the Ordnance Corps was faced with many serious problems as a direct result of the Korean conflict. Some of the same problems undoubtedly would again arise in event of a similar military emergency or an all-out war. We believe, however, that the implementation of the following recommendations, although intended primarily to strengthen present procedures, would materially aid in the establishment of a sounder basic structure of regulations and operating procedures upon which procurement, even under emergency conditions, could be carried out more effectively.

Recommendations To Army Secretary

"In connection with the principal types of deficiencies observed in our survey of Ordnance procurement, and after recognizing numerous improvements, we recommend action by the Secretary of the Army to further improve procurement procedures and controls with respect to the matters presented below. Certain of these (Items 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 13, and 16), applicable to defense procurement generally, have also been included in recommendations to the Secretary of Defense. However, pending defense action, consideration should be given by the Secretary of the Army for action within his area of responsibility.

1. Unlimited upward price revisions

Prohibit the use of price redetermination contracts providing for unlimited upward price revision.

2. Price redetermination after completion

Limit the use of price redetermination contracts providing for redetermination of prices after completion of performance, to

special conditions and with individual justification in each instance.

3. Submission of cost data under price redetermination contracts

Expand procurement procedures to require that price redetermination contracts permitting optional periodic redetermination include a contractual requirement for regular periodic submission of cost data by the contractor.

4. Audit liaison

Establish a liaison arrangement at each of the larger procurement offices for a top Army Audit Agency representative to serve in an advisory capacity to the contracting officer.

5. Use of incentive-type contracts

Revise administrative instructions to encourage use of incentive-type contracts containing designated sliding scales of profit in cases where reasonably close targets may be established at or near the beginning of production under the contract.

6. Price redetermination contracts for research

Limit the use of price redetermination contracts for research and development to special circumstances where cost-type contracts cannot be used.

7. CPPC subcontracting

Prohibit the use of CPPC subcontracts under price redetermination or incentive-type prime contracts.

8. Use of disputes procedures

Revise the Army Procurement procedure regarding exercise of the disputes article in price redetermination contracts to encourage the contracting officer to avail himself of this contractual provision in cases where he is not satisfied that a fair price is otherwise obtainable.

9. Maintaining bargaining power

Reemphasize the importance of conducting negotiations to the fullest extent practicable while other potential sources of supply are being actively considered, and before a supplier has been authorized to incur facility and production costs.

10. Changes in requirements during negotiations

Require that whenever a substantial change is made in the Government's requirements in the course of negotiation, for example, a material change in the delivery schedule, that eliminated bidders be given further opportunity to make proposals under the revised requirements.

11. Shifting of negotiation responsibility between field offices

Revise administrative delegations to avoid shifting of the negotiation responsibility for an individual contract between field offices.

12. Centralized negotiations with large contractors

Give consideration to the realignment of contracting authority in the Army Ordnance Corps to concentrate negotiations with the very large contractors at the point or points at which the strongest negotiation teams can be effectively utilized, as opposed to the present arrangement of having Ordnance districts officially responsible for such negotiations within their geographic boundaries.

13. Fixed overhead rates

Prohibit use of fixed overhead allowances or fixed rates of overhead in cost-type contracts, except where they are subject to retroactive revision.

14. Identification of negotiated profit element

Identify the element of estimated profit contained in negotiated contract prices, and make this information a matter of record in the negotiation files.

15. Guides for recognition of fair profit factors

Expand administrative guides to convey something of the "philosophy" for recognition of factors whereby a fair profit for price redetermination contracts may be measured.

16. Profit on facility-type charges

In the absence of Defense policy concerning profit on facility-type charges, take administrative action to apply appropriate restrictions on the inclusion of such profit in negotiated contract prices, as well as to insure consistency in practice.

17. Realistic delivery schedules

Reemphasize, with respect to negotiated contracts, the initial establishment of delivery schedules that are possible of achievement and the necessity for reasonable adherence to those schedules.

18. Penalties for delinquent deliveries

Provide for use of enforcement of appropriate penalty clauses where the delivery schedule is an important factor in the selection of a contractor and the determination of the price to be paid.

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Lt. Gen. Pate Seen Likely Successor to Gen. Shepherd; Shift 20 Marine Generals

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has just been ordered to report for duty at Headquarters on 1 September, will reach the statutory retirement age of 62 the following month. He now commands Fleet Marine Force, Atlantic, at Norfolk, Va.

Lt. Gen. Gerald C. Thomas, USMC, Commandant of the Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Va., does not appear to be a likely successor to General Shepherd since he attains the statutory retirement age on 29 Oct. 1956.

Lt. Gen. Robert H. Pepper, USMC, was 60 this April and would not be able to complete a four year term of office as Commandant before reaching the mandatory retirement age. He now heads FMF, Pacific, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Lt. Gen. William O. Brice, USMC, will

Pentagon Cracks Back at Commission's Charges

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detail, Mr. Thomas said there is a total four-year supply if there is included 534,000 pounds carried under the mobilization plan "because canned hamburger is one of our basic battle rations."

Regarding charges that the Services waste food, Secretary Thomas said that spoilage is less than one-third of one per cent (actually .324%), which compares with advice from the National Restaurant Industry Association that their spoilage is one-half of one per cent.

To the Hoover Commission's contention that food is not prepared properly, Mr. Thomas asserted that the Navy serves for \$1.07 per man per day "the finest meals that have ever been served in any military organization in the world."

Commenting that the Pentagon is in need of "more doers and not necessarily quite so many critics," Secretary Wilson said, "no one is doing things foolishly purposely that I can run across."

He said that the Hoover Commission reports would be studied carefully to see what recommendations of value should be adopted, but it was apparent from the tenor of his remarks that Mr. Wilson, like his associates, was not enthusiastic over many of the charges made in the reports issued to date, covering such fields as medicine, transportation, surplus property and food and service.

Prior to the news conference, the only Defense official to speak out concerning the Hoover Commission was Secretary Thomas. He objected during Congressional hearings and in a speech in New York City to the release of information by the Commission to a national magazine long before the data was made available to the Defense Department. This related to the food and service area.

Tomko, Paul B, Jr Wheeler, Roger R G
Wheeler, David A Morton, Emmett L
Beatty, Henry H, Jr Nash, Paul L
Burns, Thos J Neale, Edwin B
Clark, Jas R Page, Matthew F
Cooke, Goodwin Slonaker, Adam C
Cryan, Brendan E Timmons, Dwight R
Whealn, Robt P Tronoski, John W
White, Donald R

The 2d lieutenants shown below were ordered from NAAS, Kingsville, to MCAS, CherPt:

Graves, John H, Jr Bates, James E
Pafford, Billy E Daniels, Chas E
Dahler, Geo F DeSio, Nell, Jr
Rogers, John G Shockey, Chas H

Welsh, Kenneth H The following 2d lieutenants were ordered to the Inactive StaTempDisbRetList from the stations shown:

9thMCRRD, Chi—Bernard Sprague.
CamPen—Stanley J DuFrane and Charles H White.

Walsh, Thomas M 3d, NAS, Pnclia, Fla; to 2dMarDiv, CamLej.

Biggs, Michael H, MCAS, El Toro; to Overseas.

French, Russell W, NAAS, Kingsville, Tex; to 3dMAW, MCAS, Miami.

Phillips, Richard W, NAS, CorpC, Tex; to MCAS, CherPt.

CWO

Bennette, Maurice O, Overseas; to InactvSta Ret List.

Bell, Robert H, ForTrps, CamLej; to Inactv Sta Ret List.

WO

Rypar, Joseph, ForTrps, CamLej; to MarPac, SFran.

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LT. COL. HELEN M. ABRAMOSKA, ANC, receives from Col. Charles E. Cheever, USA-Ret, the 300,000th policy in force issued by the United Services Automobile Association. Colonel Cheever is general manager of the Association at its San Antonio, Tex., headquarters.

Marine Corps Housing

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and age of children.

2. LOW COST NAVY RENTAL HOUSING (NAMAR)

a. Namar low cost housing consists of twenty-eight (28) furnished barracks type apartments for assignment to warrant officers, lieutenants and captains.

Rental rates:

1 bedroom	\$50.40
2 bedroom	\$59.40
3 bedroom	\$66.30

b. Temporary Housing. Thirty-four (34) homaja type quonset huts available for fifteen day period for \$34.00. These units are completely furnished including linen and dishes.

3. TITLE VIII (WHERRY HOUSING)

a. Thirty-six (36) two and three bedroom homes, unfurnished except for stove and refrigerator for assignment to captains, majors, lieutenants colonels and colonels.

Rental rates: Square feet

2 bedroom	890	\$79.30
2 bedroom	984	\$92.00
3 bedroom	1185	\$89.00
3 bedroom	1323	\$106.00

b. One hundred-fifty seven (157) three bedroom garden apartments, unfurnished except for stove and refrigerator for assignment to all officer ranks. The square footage is 981 and rental is \$82.50.

STAFF NCO'S AND SERGEANTS WITH OVER SEVEN YEARS SERVICE

1. PUBLIC QUARTERS

a. Fifty (50) furnished one, two and three bedroom duplex.

b. Eight (8) furnished two bedroom barracks type apartments.

2. TEMPORARY QUARTERS

a. Homaja type quonset huts completely furnished and available for thirty days at \$42.00.

3. TITLE VIII (WHERRY HOUSING)

a. Three hundred-seventy eight (378) one, two and three bedroom garden apartments, unfurnished except for stove and refrigerator for assignment to all enlisted ranks.

Rental rates:

1 bedroom	\$58.00
2 bedroom	\$68.00
3 bedroom	\$77.20

SERGEANTS (UNDER SEVEN YEARS SERVICE) AND BELOW

1. LOW COST NAVY RENTAL HOUSING (NAMAR)

a. Two hundred-fifty two (252) furnished barracks type apartments available in one, two and three bedroom units to sergeants and below. Families with children have preference.

Rental rates:

1 bedroom	\$50.40
2 bedroom	\$59.40
3 bedroom	\$66.30

2. For information concerning Temporary Quarters and Title VIII (Wherry housing) see Staff NCO data.

Study Progress Payments

A single standardized contract clause for progress payments is still being studied by the Services with little chance of early agreement partly because the disbursing procedures vary with each Service. However, a single set of application forms may soon be adopted.

Could Drop Stitch In Uniform Plan

There's a growing danger the Army plan to begin issue of the new green uniform in September '56 will be ruptured.

Pentagon officials admitted late this week that the Defense Department has yet to give the necessary green light for award by the Army of "cut, make and trim" contracts for the new uniform cloth.

Unless these processing contracts are made soon, the uniform timetable will be delayed. The Army reportedly is seeking an early decision.

An official Defense Department release said the Army would start wearing black shoes (used with the Green Uniform) after September of next year.

That press release reported adoption of a standardized men's low-quarter dress shoe for all the Services, which will be black for the Army, Navy and Air Force and dark brown mahogany for the Marine Corps.



BRIG. GEN. W. P. WILSON (left), chief of the Air Force Division of the National Guard Bureau, with Col. B. I. Mayo, Jr., chief of the operational plans division of the Continental Air Defense Command, during the former's recent visit to Ent AFB, Colo.

Many Pitfalls Beset Service Legislative Proposals On Path To Final Enactment

THE shop-worn story about the Western Union messenger who got lost in the Pentagon and came out two days later a full colonel has its Capitol Hill counterpart in the one about the visiting high school student who lost a chemistry term paper in the Senate dining room and later found it had been referred to the Atomic Energy Committee for study and report.

Both anecdotes underscore the "confusion" which the uninitiated observer sees in every action of the sprawling Defense structure and the national legislature.

WHEN THE PENTAGON AND THE CAPITOL JOIN forces, as they do in creating the majority of all new military laws, the average interested observer finds himself even more bewildered.

Confusing as the problem may appear, the process of creating a new military law is as carefully drawn as a battle plan.

There are a number of ways in which desired legislation may be drafted and proposed to the Congress, but as a general rule major efforts follow a series of similar steps which are relatively simple and easy to understand.

THE PENDING PROPOSAL to add thousands of Regular officers to the Services can be used to trace the process. Here is how it works:

First, the necessity for legislation is recognized by Defense officials.

In this instance, the need has developed out of the fact that the Services will be required to maintain large peace-time forces far into the future. In the past, peace-time forces have been small. As soon as emergencies ended, most Reservists were returned to inactive duty.

Since the end of WWII, however, Defense Department manpower requirements have called for the retention of large numbers of Reservists, and it is expected that the bulk of these officers will be needed on the active rolls for many years. Thus, the Regular ranks can be expanded, giving Reservists a chance to integrate as career officers.

With the need for new legislation apparent, Defense leaders sound out the White House to find out if the President is willing to support the proposed legislation.

If he is—and speculation indicates that the President favors the integration plan—the Defense Department goes to work in earnest. Reports and recommendations are requested from the Secretaries of the Army, Navy and Air Force. These separate reports are studied, usually by a joint board or committee appointed by the Defense Secretary, and a proposed draft of legislation, usually representing a compromise between varying views, is drafted to put the plan into effect.

When the draft plan is completed—possibly during May—the next step

is to submit the proposal, together with cost estimates, to the Bureau of the Budget. This Bureau, which is the President's financial advisor, determines whether the need is great enough to justify the expenditure and, if so, whether the amount requested to put the program into operation is too much or too little.

The careful scrutiny which the Budget applies to legislative proposals accounts for further delay in the processing of the needed legislation. Often, weeks and sometimes many months pass before the Budget sends the measure back to the Defense Department with its recommendations.

If it disapproves the plan, the Pentagon knows that further effort is fruitless for the time being.

When the plan is approved by the Budget, the Defense Department sends it to Capitol Hill with a request that it be introduced. Messages, with copies of the proposal attached, go to both the Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate. These officials, in turn, send the draft legislation to a committee.

MILITARY LEGISLATION, such as the integration plan, is referred to the Armed Services Committee in each house. Once it reaches the Committee it either can be pigeonholed (for reasons which the Committee believes sound) or turned over to the Chairman or one of the members to be introduced on the House or Senate floor.

After the proposal has been introduced, it can still die on the vine if the Committee chairman (again for reasons which are considered sound) schedules no hearings on the bill.

In most instances, however, the bill is introduced, placed on the committee calendar, and hearings (usually conducted by a subcommittee) are announced. Top officials are called to explain the bill and answer questions.

Hearings often are extended, with witnesses testifying both for and against the plan. In the case of the integration bill, witnesses would be called from the Army, Navy, Air Force and Marine Corps, as well as the Defense Department manpower office, and probably would include representatives of the various Reserve and National Guard organizations.

Such hearings usually are "open," which means that the public may sit in the Committee rooms and listen to the testimony. When all of the witnesses have been heard, the subcommittee goes into "Executive" session to "mark up" the bill. This means that the group meets behind closed doors to make changes in the plan, if changes are considered necessary, and to prepare the bill for presentation to the full committee.

FINAL COMMITTEE ACTION can either "kill" the bill or recommend its

Marine Commandant "Argued" Against Cut; Could Keep 27,000 For Added \$75 Million

General Lemuel C. Shepherd, Jr., Commandant of the Marine Corps, has told a Congressional Committee he "argued very strongly for more men" during the coming fiscal year.

Under close questioning by members of a House Subcommittee on Appropriations, the Commandant admitted that he asked for 215,000 men, but Defense Secretary Wilson and President Eisenhower ruled in favor of a smaller force.

Asked if he suggested the cut, General Shepherd an-

swered, "No, sir, I can assure you I did not. As a matter of fact, I argued very strongly for more men."

The General said the goal for the Marines was "originally" set at 215,000, but "was changed by a direction of the President and Secretary of Defense to the figures I have just given you, 205,000 (for the end of the current fiscal year) and 193,000 (for the end of fiscal '56)."

Representative Daniel J. Flood (D-Pa.) asked: "Do you agree with that decision under all the circumstances?"

General Shepherd answered, "I accepted it, sir, as the decision of my superior."

In answer to a question about how much it would cost to restore the Marine manpower cut, General Shepherd said the Corps could retain for "approximately \$75 million" the 27,000 men it will lose as a result of the personnel slash.



Gen. Shepherd

enactment with or without changes in the subcommittee plan. The measure, if recommended, is then sent back to the House or Senate chamber together with a report which details the need, scope and cost of the bill and urges its passage. On occasion there may also be a minority report filed by committee members opposed to the measure.

The report is made on the floor of the House or Senate by the subcommittee or committee chairman, and both the bill and the report are printed and made available to members of the Congress. During this process, the bill is placed on a House or Senate calendar where it remains until called up for debate.

The procedures for placing a bill on a calendar and calling it up for debate are complicated and differ in each house. They are not essential, however, to a clear understanding of the steps involved in making a new law.

When the proposal is called up for action on the House or Senate floor, members enter into debate on the plan. This is sometimes spirited, sometimes routine. Sometimes it lasts only for a short period; other times for days or weeks.

At the conclusion of the debate, the measure is voted. If disapproved, that's the end of the matter. If approved, the measure goes through the clerical process and is sent to the other house.

An important aspect of the legislative procedure to keep in mind is the fact that both houses of Congress are equal and no Congressional action is final until both have approved a bill in the same form.

While the House Armed Services Committee is holding hearings on a bill, the Senate Armed Services Committee may take similar action at the same time, or the Senate Committee may hold earlier or later hearings or take no action.

WHEN A MILITARY BILL PASSES the House and is sent to the Senate it is voted only after the Senate Armed Services Committee has favorably reported it (or its own version of the same bill). Even though the House Committee has completed exhaustive hearings on the matter, the Senate Committee holds its own hearings and makes its own report. This sometimes leads to changes in the bill as approved by the other house.

When the measure is voted on the Senate floor, it may be in the same form passed by the House or in a different form. If the same, and if approved, the bill is then sent to the White House for final action by the President, who may either sign the bill into law or veto it.

If the Senate measure differs from the House version, it is returned to that body for further consideration. The House Armed Services Committee may ask that the Senate plan be

accepted as is or it may disagree with the Senate version. If accepted, and the House approves, the plan then goes to the White House. If the House disagrees, the measure must then be sent to a conference committee (made up of members of the House and Senate Armed Services Committees) where an attempt is made to iron out differences. When the conference group has agreed on a final bill, the measure goes back to each house for another vote and if approved is sent to the White House.

If either the Senate or House refuse to accept the action of the conference committee, the measure may be re-committed to that group until a compromise acceptable to all can be worked out.

It is worth repeating that a bill cannot become law until it has passed both houses of Congress in the same form and has been signed by the President.

The pitfalls which face a proposed law are numerous, as this account of the legislative process indicates.

A NEW MILITARY LAW may never get started on its way if the Pentagon feels that Service leaders have failed to demonstrate its essentiality. Or it may die an early death if the President withholds his approval or the Budget Bureau turns thumbs down.

Even after it has reached Capitol Hill, the measure is not on safe ground. It may die in committee without being introduced, it may be introduced and no further action taken, or the committee may shelve the plan after hearings have demonstrated that it is not workable or is too costly.

Should the measure safely hurdle all of these obstacles, it still can be voted down by either house or both or, if passed, be vetoed by the President.

The process is complicated and sometimes confusing, but a basic understanding of the steps involved in the creation of a new law clearly demonstrates that the "obstacles" and "pitfalls" are intended as safeguards to assure sound legislation.

These safeguards often serve to give the opposition strength enough to kill a measure the Services consider essential, or to so amend it as to drastically reduce its effectiveness.

THE PROCESS ALSO PERMITS, as has happened many times, the enactment of Service legislation which is highly desirable but which the administration in power does not want (usually for fiscal reasons).

All Service legislation does not originate in the Department of Defense; in fact, hundreds of bills are introduced independently each session. Many of these are enacted with the support of the Department and some become law over the objections of the Department because Congress feels they are necessary and desirable. That is the democratic process.